

SENATE VOTES TO SUPPORT PRESIDENT

TABLES GORE'S RESOLUTION TO WARN AMERICANS OFF ARMED SHIPS

House Foreign Affairs Committee
Votes to Report Warning Resolu-
tion With the Recommendation
That It Be Tabled.

Washington, March 3.—By a vote of 88 to 14 the senate today carried out President Wilson's wish and killed Senator Gore's resolution to warn Americans off armed belligerent ships. In a turbulent scene, such as is seldom witnessed in the senate, the voting proceeded with Senators shouting objections, futilely demanding recognition to explain their positions and making hot retorts to each other, all of which were out of order. At one time so many senators were shouting for the vice president's recognition that the sergeant at arms was called to restore quiet.

After having maneuvered for two days to get the resolution in such parliamentary position that it was disposed of without debate, the senate then proceeded to a general discussion of the subject which continued all afternoon to the dismay of administration supporters. There were free expressions of opinion that the senate's action, because the vote was actually taken on a motion to table the Gore resolution with a correction by the author and a substitute by Senator McCumber was in effect a "scotch verdict" and had not actually accomplished the purpose of the president. Such statements aroused the president's friends, who feared they would produce an effect exactly opposite to that intended, a notice to the world that the senate stands behind the president in his demands on Germany for the rights of Americans traveling the seas.

In the house however the foreign affairs committee by a vote of 17 to 2, took a longer step toward meeting fully the president's wishes. It voted to report the McCumber warning resolution with the recommendation that it be tabled. In the report, the committee asserts that the constitution imposed the conduct of diplomatic negotiations on the president and with this practice the committee does not feel it proper for the house of representatives to interfere.

It probably will be voted on in the house tomorrow under a special rule.

Administration forces are confident of a full fledged victory. At the white house satisfaction was expressed with the senate's action.

Senator Gore voted for the motion to table and declared he considered the administration victory a mixed one. The debate which followed the senate vote was sensational. Senator Lewis, the Democratic whip pleading with senators for moderation in their remarks, declared the Spanish war would have been averted by action in congress similar to that taken today and that the war was brought on by vituperative debates.

Senator Clark, Democrat of Arkansas, who voted with the administration forces, declared their action did not represent the real sentiment of the senate. Senator Fall, a Republican said:

"By your action today you have sent to the Kaiser, if you have done anything, notice that the senate of the United States will look upon his sinking of armed merchant ship and the death of an American citizen, probably with some degree of regret, but that no action would be taken against him."

Senator Borah, Republican, arraigned the senate for what he characterized as its evasive action. He said he would "rather have battle ships sunk than to have the honor of this senate compromised before the world."

On the other hand, Senator Kern, the majority leader, upheld the action asserting that it would proclaim to all nations that the president in exercising his constitutional powers in the conduct of negotiations spoke, not for himself, not for his party, but for all the people of his country who are prepared to back him with their lives in an assistance on American rights.

Emphatically asserting that there could be no confusing of the senate action because of technical parliamentary entanglements, Senator Lodge, ranking Republican member of the foreign relations committee said the foreign relations committee was "opposing a warning to Americans and against interference with the executive."

The action which effectually disposed of the Gore resolution was a complex one. Senator Stone moved to bring the resolution before the senate and Senator Gore then obtained permission to change his resolution. Retaining the original preamble he substituted the resolution with the following:

"Resolved, That the sinking by a submarine without warning of an armed merchant vessel of her public enemy, resulting in the death of a citizen of the United States would constitute a just and sufficient cause of war between the United States and the German empire."

Senator McCumber, a Republican immediately introduced a substitute similar to Senator Gore's original resolution warning Americans off armed ships, pending negotiations with foreign powers to revise the rules of international law to meet the new conditions of naval warfare.

COMMISSION TAKES CHICAGO GRAFT CASE UNDER ADVISEMENT

Mrs. Louise Osborne Rowe Testifies Charges Made by Mrs. Eaton Were Caused by Jealousy.

Chicago, March 3.—After Mrs. Louise Osborne Rowe, head of the city's social welfare bureau, had testified today that "split-salary" charges made by Mrs. Page Waller Eaton, a subordinate, were caused by "jealousy," arguments for both sides were concluded and the civil service commission took the case under advisement. A decision is not expected for at least a week. The commission cannot inflict a penalty, but can only recommend action to the mayor, who has the power to dismiss Mrs. Rowe. Whether a grand jury shall take action will be decided by State's Attorney Hoyne.

The hearing in the case, which has been filled with sensational developments, came to an end before a large audience consisting principally of society women and suffrage workers. Mrs. Rowe during her testimony had asserted that "Mrs. Eaton's accusation was wholly false," that the latter had been compelled to turn over a third of her salary of \$3,000 to Mrs. Rowe for a fund that had been described occasionally as a "charity fund for a sister-in-law of Mayor William Hale Thompson," and as a fund to enable the mayor to recuperate from heavy campaign expenses.

Mrs. Rowe, in her testimony, said: "Mrs. Eaton is jealous of me and of the good work done by the department. She wanted my job in the first place. She flattered me and was over-gracious. She told me I was fair and square, but I was always dubious about her. She was solicitous and gracious at Christmas time. Mrs. Eaton told me she was jealous," was Mrs. Rowe's parting shot at her accusers.

An attempt by attorneys for Mrs. Eaton to learn whether Mrs. Rowe plays poker in order to show just what she meant when she told reporters "I'll stand pat" was frustrated by the objections of attorneys for Mrs. Rowe.

The case came before the civil service commission because Mrs. Eaton's position as head of the social survey department of the bureau was covered by the civil service law and Mrs. Eaton complained that this law was violated. Arguments of counsel occupied an hour. When the commission retired the women in the audience formed groups around the two principals, Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Rowe, and began animated discussion.

ILLINOIS WILL JOIN OTHER STATES AND OBSERVE BABY WEEK

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 3.—Illinois will join with many other states in the union in the observance of "Baby Week," which begins tomorrow. Dr. C. St. Clair Drake, secretary of the state board of health, has set the machinery of the board in action for a spectacular educational campaign on baby welfare.

Within the past generation the span of life has been increased fully six years, declared Dr. Drake today. "This does not mean that advanced old age is more common, but that more babies are being saved. We are now engaged in a campaign to prevent diseases and causes which are avoidable and which bring about the death of 60 per cent of the 20,000 infants who die every year in Illinois."

ASKS THAT FEDERAL MIGRATORY BIRD LAW BE GIVEN RE-HEARING

QUINCY, Ill., March 3.—According to information received here this evening by Deputy United States Warden Charles Clarke from H. W. Henshaw, chief biological survey, the United States supreme court has asked for the case of the constitutionality of the federal migratory bird law to be re-docketed for re-hearing. The court considered the case first on October 18th, 1915.

The law now prohibits the shooting of migratory birds in the Upper Mississippi Valley and has caused much dissatisfaction among duck hunters.

WINS IN STRAIGHT FALLS.

Louisville, Ky., March 3.—Wladek Zbyszko and Yussif Hussane were victors in a double wrestling bill here tonight. They both won in straight falls. Zbyszko threw Carl Lemie in thirty minutes with a half nelson and bar arm and gained the second fall in fifteen minutes with a body hold. Hussane used a half nelson and crotch hold to win from Anton Irsu in twenty and fifteen minutes.

LEASES BALTIMORE

FED. GROUNDS. Baltimore, March 3.—Manager Jack Dunne of the Baltimore International League baseball club today leased the Federal league grounds for the unexpired term of eight years.

Senator James, one of the administrators who moved to table the McCumber resolution, the original and substitute resolutions offered by Senator Gore and all amendments. The motion was carried by 68 senators, 47 Democrats and 21 Republicans voting with the administration and twelve Republicans and two Democrats voting against it.

The Democrats reported in the negative were Senators Chamberlain and O'Gorman.

Senator Lewis of Illinois voted with the administration Democrats and Senator Sherman, Republican, voted against the administration.

MORE THAN 3,000 PERISH WHEN CRUISER SINKS

ONLY 870 OF 4,000 ABOARD PRO- VENGE II ARE ACCOUNTED FOR

Battle of Great Intensity Is Raging Around Village of Douaumont—Comparative Quiet Prevails on the Russian Front.

LONDON, March 4.—The morning newspapers feature dispatches from Athens which declare that agitation in Constantinople in favor of peace is becoming so pronounced that it would surprise no one if Turkey suddenly capitulated to the entente allies. It is reported also that Rachmi Bey, governor of the Vilayet of Smyrna is trying to arrange separate peace terms with the entente.

BULLETIN.

GENEVA, March 3.—via Paris.—Advices received here from Karlsruhe, Mannheim, Stuttgart and Coblenz, are that those towns have been transformed into huge hospitals for wounded from Verdun who are arriving there daily. There are said to be several thousand men with grievous bayonet wounds at Coblenz.

In the sinking in the Mediterranean recently of the French auxiliary cruiser Provence II the indications are that there occurred the greatest marine disaster in the world's history, so far as loss of life is concerned.

The French admiralty reports that there were nearly 4,000 persons on board and up to date it has only accounted for 870 of them. Seemingly therefore, more than 3,000 men perished when the former trans-Atlantic liner went to the bottom. The staff of the third colonial infantry regiment was among the many soldiers aboard the cruiser. The story of how the vessel was sunk remains to be told.

Around the village of Douaumont, which is in the hands of the Germans, is raging a battle of great intensity. Having captured the village and extended their lines west and south the Germans were forced to give ground before vicious attacks of the French who regained part of the terrain they had lost. The fighting here is proceeding unabated.

From the region of Malancourt, west of the Meuse, to the Woeyre region east of Verdun, the bombardments are of a violent character. The Germans endeavoring to force their way closer to the fortress of Verdun and the French tenaciously striving to hold them back. Several assembling points of the Germans have been vigorously shelled by the French, especially in the vicinity of Beaumont. The Germans admit that in the region of Ypres the British recaptured the positions the Germans took from them Feb. 14, but say the British were immediately driven out of most of them. The British, however, declared that they have consolidated these positions.

There has been considerable artillery activity in the Argonne forest and in Upper Alsace an infantry engagement in which elements of German trenches were taken by the French.

Comparative quiet prevails on the Russian front. Along the line in the Alps and on the Isonzo river sector, the Austrians and Italians continue their bombardments and attacks at various points by infantry but without materially changing their positions.

The Russians have captured the important town of Bitlis, in the Lake Van district of Turkish, Armenia, and elsewhere in the Caucasus region and in Persia are keeping up their vigorous offensive against the Ottoman forces.

An official communication from the Turkish army headquarters says the east and west coast districts of Aden have come under Ottoman rule as the result of submission of the tribesmen. The Turks also report a defeat recently of the British near Dafauch in the neighborhood of Aden, but the British official press bureau denies that an engagement took place here.

A German seaplane has been captured off the Belgian coast while returning from England. One of its occupants had been drowned. The seaplane was taken prisoner. It is thought probable this craft is the one that had bombarded the southeast coast of England Wednesday night.

FUNK IS REAPPOINTED MEMBER OF PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 3.—Frank H. Funk of Bloomington was appointed today by Governor Dunne to be a member of the public utilities commission. The reappointment of former Governor Richard Yates was announced Wednesday. Commissioner Funk originally was appointed for two years, but his new appointment is for a six year term. The salary is \$10,000 annually.

The appointment of John Kules of Breeze, Ill., to be a member of the state board of mine examiners was announced tonight.

MINE SWEEPER IS TORPEDOED.

London, March 3.—The admiralty announces that the mine sweeper Primula was torpedoed and sunk on March 1 in the eastern Mediterranean while performing her usual duties. All the officers and crew, except three men, were saved and landed at Port Said.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

CHICAGO, March 3.—Madame Mario Dire Marion, 64 years old, a former grand opera star, died at her home here of pleurisy.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 3.—The machinists' strike situation here remained unchanged today. The number of men out are estimated by the employers as about 700, the union officials claiming 1,200.

OSSINING, N. Y., March 3.—Walter Watson of Brooklyn was electrocuted at Sing Sing this morning for the murder of his wife a year ago. Watson, who protested his innocence to the last, left a sealed envelope to be opened after his death. In it was found a faded flower.

GALESBURG, Mich., March 3.—Isaac Rogers, 73 years of age, a newspaper man, nationally known as "The Galesburg Liar," died today. His whimsical stories, which he humorously insisted were "news," were reprinted by newspapers throughout the United States.

JOLIET, Ill., March 3.—"Chicken Joe" Campbell, the negro convict found guilty of murdering Mrs. Odette Allen, wife of the former warden of the state penitentiary here, was today sentenced to be hanged on Good Friday, April 21.

PORTSMOUTH, Ia., March 3.—Relatives of Max Reining, a farmer, near here, were alarmed when Reining's collie dog came to the house howling and acting strangely. They followed the dog and found Reining's body where it has fallen in a distant field. The farmer had died of heart disease.

IOWA CITY, March 3.—The appointment of Demaree Bess of Iowa City to be a member of the faculty of the Assuit college in Egypt was announced. He is a senior in the college of liberal arts at the university here. Mr. Bess will sail for his new post in July. He will teach English.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Chicago girls are taking advantage of Leap Year. In February there were 2,524 marriage licenses, an increase of more than 600 over February, 1915, says Chief Clerk Legner of the marriage license bureau. Officials expect the figures this year will more than make up for the decrease of the last two years.

DECATUR, Ill., March 3.—Noah Lundy, a farmer living near Arcola, today is mourning the loss of \$2,350 in crisp United States currency. Lundy had secreted the bills in a mail order company's catalogue and while away from home his wife, while cleaning house, burned the book along with other waste paper.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Percy B. Sullivan of Decatur, Ill., former president of the Assured National Fire Insurance company, recently convicted of using the mails to defraud and sentenced to serve two years in prison, was today granted a stay of mandate until March 24, by the United States circuit court of appeals to permit him to appeal his case to the supreme court.

CHARLES KRAMER NAMES POLICE IN ALLEGED CONSPIRACY TO ROB BANK

Asserts Capt. Hunt was to Receive a Diamond Stickpin "for Keeping His Mouth Shut About the Robbery."

Chicago, March 3.—Charles Kramer, one of the four defendants on trial here for the \$15,000 bank robbery at the Washington Park National bank on the witness stand today named Capt. Nicholas Hunt of the Chicago detective department, sergeant Thomas Sheehan of the same department and Harry Kavanaugh, director of the bank, as participants in the alleged conspiracy, which the defendants claim led them to rob the bank.

Capt. Hunt was to receive a diamond stickpin "for keeping his mouth shut about the robbery," Kramer, said Eddie Mack, confessed bank robber and state's witness, told the four defendants.

Sergeant Sheehan was to receive a tenth of the loot, Kramer testified, and Mack left the bank robbers automobile five minutes after the daylight holdup with the \$1,500 intended for Sheehan. Kramer pictured Mack as the "brains" of the quintet that robbed the bank and as an inmate of Detective Sergeant Sheehan. Shortly before Christmas, Kramer testified, Mack left \$25—representing part of the loot of five pickpockets—at a cafe for Sheehan.

The Rosenthal murder in New York for which Lieutenant Becker of the New York police and several "gunmen" were executed, was brought into the case when the prosecution cross-examined Kramer. Objections by counsel for the defense prevented Kramer from saying whether he knew "Gyp the Blood," but Kramer's attorney allowed him to testify that he was detained as a witness in the Rosenthal case. The witness denied that he is a fugitive from New York justice.

TO HOLD EXAMINATIONS FOR GAME WARDENS

Springfield, Ill., March 3.—The first examination in three years for deputy game and fish wardens in Illinois will be held in various places in the state April 3. It was announced by the state civil-service commission here today.

The plan in 1913 of holding the test in this city was found impracticable because of the large number of applicants for examination.

TELLS OF CONDITION OF ATLANTIC FLEET

FIFTEEN ACTIVE SHIPS ARE SHORT OF OFFICERS AND MEN

Admiral Fletcher States only Fifteen of the Twenty-one Battleships are on Active Duty in West Indian Waters—Lack of Officers, Most Serious Aspect.

Washington, March 3.—Only fifteen of the twenty-one battleships of the Atlantic fleet are on active duty in West Indian waters, three of the other six being so crippled for lack of officers and men that they cannot operate with the fleet and the other three either awaiting or undergoing extensive repairs.

The fifteen active ships are short from eight to seventeen officers each by the navy department, and 1,000 coal passers, electricians, gunners-mates and other trained enlisted men, altho they have aboard about 100 more men than the total personnel allowed by regulations. This was the situation of the fleet as pictured today by Admiral Fletcher, commander-in-chief before the serious aspect, Admiral Fletcher thought, because it requires ten years to train a competent lieutenant or lieutenant commander. Nothing that congress, much less the navy department can do, he said, can remedy the situation at once. Many suggestions as to how the training of young officers might be hastened had been advanced he added, but in his opinion the only effective and logical way would be to increase the Annapolis cadet corps to 2,000 men and await their development.

Chairman Padgett asked the admiral to submit his opinion as to the number of officers in higher grades which should be provided for, immediately in order to relieve the shortage in that respect. Admiral Fletcher suggested that in addition to the regular promotions two rear admirals created each year for six years; six captains a year for five years; 15 commanders a year for five years and that all lieutenants should become lieutenant commanders after eight years service in the lower grade. About fifty lieutenants would be eligible immediately, he said, under this plan.

Representative Roberts asked where Admiral Fletcher ranged the American fleet among the navies of the world, and was told that it was "some place between third and fourth" with "a good margin over Japan," which was fifth. Lacking exact knowledge of the French fleet program Admiral Fletcher said he could not make a closer comparison.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS
REVERSES JUDGE'S DECISION
CHICAGO, March 3.—The United States circuit court of appeals today reversed a decision of Judge George A. Carpenter refusing bondholders of the Consolidated Indiana Coal company the right to file an intervening petition against the issuance of Series B, receiver's certificates issued to cover \$500,000 debenture interest of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway that fell due in July, 1915. The appellate court ordered the district court judge to allow the intervening petition to be filed and to hear the case on its merits. The coal company has a bond issue of \$2,500,000 which the Rock Island guaranteed. Semi-annual interest thereon is \$22,000. On the arguments begun today over Receiver Jacob M. Dickinson's request for instructions about the disposal of the Series B certificates and the debenture interest due Jan. 5 last, the payment of the latter was opposed by the Central Trust company of New York, representing the holders of the first and refunding bonds, and by the Consolidated Indiana Coal Company. Stockholders and holders of the \$200,000 debenture bonds was that interest paid.

MANY PACKING STRIKERS
RETURN TO WORK
Sioux City, Ia., March 3.—Most of the 2,500 employees in the Sioux City packing plants, where the strike was settled yesterday, returned to work today. The strikers go back to work on a new schedule, based on a minimum of 21 cents an hour for all laborers and an agreement that a minimum of at least eighty hours' work will be provided every two weeks for every regular employee. Before the strike laborers were getting 19 cents an hour with no agreement as to the amount of work they would receive.

FOLKERTS PLEADS GUILTY.

Springfield, Ill., March 3.—William Folkerts, former postmaster at Witt, Ill., pleaded guilty in the federal court here today before United States Judge Humphrey to a charge of taking money belonging to the government and was fined \$396.35, the amount he is said to have taken. Folkerts was indicted the last term of court.

ROOSEVELT'S ANNOUNCEMENT DOES NOT AFFECT PETITIONS

Stevenson Sets at Rest Rumor That Names Would Be Eliminated from the Official Primary Ballot.

Springfield, Ill., March 3.—The petitions of candidates for delegates and alternates to national nominating conventions who named Theodore Roosevelt as their choice for president are not affected by the announcement from New York that Mr. Roosevelt would not be a candidate of any party in the Illinois primary, according to an announcement today by Lewis G. Stevenson, secretary of state.

"It had been brought to my attention that a rumor is afloat that such candidates' names would be eliminated from the official primary ballot," said Mr. Stevenson. "This is not true. Section 29 of the primary act provides that any candidate for president of the United States may have his name printed upon the primary ballot of his political party by filing in the office of secretary of state a petition with the requisite number of signatures. The statute does not specify that every candidate must file such a petition. From the context it would appear that the language is permissive, and inferentially the fact that one may be a presidential candidate without filing a petition for the Illinois primary is recognized, even tho his name is not on the primary ballot."

"Not only does the failure of Mr. Roosevelt to file a petition have no effect upon candidates who have indicated him as their preference, but there is also doubt whether he may disavow the candidacy of any such delegate, and thus prevent an objectionable candidate's name from appearing on the ballot."

A number of candidates who have filed petitions as delegates and alternate delegates have also filed petitions as candidates for state central committee.

As a result of this, if the petitions are allowed to stand, the names of such candidates will appear twice on the same ballots.

Objections have been raised in some cases, notably to the petition of Medill McCormick.

Various parties have demanded that Secretary Stevenson require every such candidate to elect for which office he will run. Mr. Stevenson declined to do this because he said there is no essential conflict between the duties of the office of state central committee and those of delegate.

ANSWERS QUERY ABOUT FORMATION OF MOTORCYCLE BATTALION

Gen. Mills States Such a Unit Cannot Properly Form a Portion of the Organized Military.

Quincy, Ill., March 3.—In answer to a query from local men concerning the formation of a motorcycle battalion to be attached to Company F, 1st N. G. in this city, A. L. Mills, brigadier general of the general staff of the United States army said that no combatant motorcycle units are now authorized for the regular army and as militia shall follow the organization of the regular army, such a unit could not properly form a portion of the organized military. The brigadier general added:

"Present military development appears in general to preclude the organization of motorcycle units of combatant troops. On the other hand the need of these machines for messenger service is fully recognized and it is believed that every regiment, or independent battalion should have motorcycleists attached."

He added further that it seemed desirable that the one sergeant, 13 privates now provided for on mounts be mounted on motorcycles. He stated further that the war department had no jurisdiction over state militia but that for its part the war department will be glad to grant authority for any regimental mounted orderly section to use motorcycles instead of horses for mounts.

STILL A CHANCE OF REACHING AGREEMENT IN WAGE CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, March 3.—After hope had been abandoned today of reaching an agreement on the wage increase asked by the United Mine Workers in negotiations over a new contract for the soft coal fields of the middlewest, the situation took a slightly favorable turn and tonight both operators and miners said there still was a chance of reaching a settlement. When the sub-committee of miners and operators resumed its session in the afternoon after fruitless efforts to get together in the morning, nearly every one expected a disagreement would be reported to the full joint conference.

Neither side, however, desired to take the responsibility and the time was passed in group conferences and in sending back and forth emissaries to influential coal operators not members of the sub-committee. Then a motion carried to adjourn until tomorrow at 11 a. m.

REFUSE TO DECLARE KELLEY A FREE AGENT

Pittsburgh, March 3.—President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh National league club was officially notified today that the national commission had refused to declare outfielder Jamie Kelley a free agent. Kelley based his claim upon what he said was "unfair treatment" on the part of President Dreyfuss in not honoring his transfer to the Indianapolis American association club by the Pittsburgh Federals.

GRAND JURY INDICTS BREW COMPANIES

TRUE BILLS ARE DIRECTED AT COR- PORATIONS

Charge Conspiracy in Alleged Unlawful Expenditure of Money in Elections at Which Votes for Federal Officials Were Being Cast.

Pittsburgh, March 3.—One hundred and one indictments of which one hundred are against various parts of Pennsylvania and the United States Brewers' association of New York were unexpectedly returned late today by the federal grand jury which has been investigating the alleged political activities of brewers. The indictments charge the brewing companies and the association with conspiracy in the alleged unlawful expenditure of money in elections at which votes for federal officials were being cast.

The indictments do not mention individuals, but are directed at corporations themselves.

Fifty-eight of the companies named are members of the Pennsylvania Brewers' association while 42 are members of the United States Brewers' association. The companies in the first named group are accused jointly of conspiracy entered into, it is alleged, on Sept. 1, 1912, "unlawfully, wilfully, knowingly, fraudulently and feloniously" to make contributions to political campaigns at which presidential and vice presidential electors or representatives in congress were to be voted for.

Little is said in the indictments regarding the specific offenses alleged under section 83 of the federal penal code, the so-called corrupt practices act and section 37 of the same act. Under the sections fines not exceeding \$5,000 in the first and \$10,000 in the second may be assessed. There is also a provision providing for the imprisonment of officers and directors of the corporations under both sections.

The indictments charge that the companies which belong to the Pennsylvania Brewers' association conspired to contribute to funds used in the campaign preceding this state election on Nov. 3, 1914. It is alleged that the Independent Brewery company May 7, 1914, paid \$1 by check to the State Brewers' association for political use. A list of similar allegations were:

WHEELER OBJECTS TO JURY PANEL IN SANGAMON COUNTY COL

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 3.—Sheriff John A. Wheeler, who has made a name for himself as a clean-up official, today objected to a jury panel in the Sangamon county court on the ground that the panel contains the names of many saloon men who would make it impossible for him to secure the conviction of persons now under indictment for alleged violation of liquor laws.

State's Attorney Edmund Burke stated that he was in favor of a venire of which Sheriff Wheeler could approve. "I'll give the sheriff every chance in the world to get convictions," said Mr. Burke. "The thing for him to do is to put his objections in the form of a motion to the court."

FRENCH PICK UP GERMAN PLANE RETURNING FROM ENGLAND

LONDON, March 3.—A German seaplane returning from England was yesterday picked up by the French three miles north of Middlekerke bank off the Belgian coast, it was announced in an official statement this evening. One of the observers of the machine was drowned and one was taken prisoner. The seaplane dropped on Wednesday the official statement adds.

An official announcement issued in London Wednesday night stated that a German seaplane had bombed a portion of the southeast coast of England that night. A nine month old child was killed but there was no military damage it was reported.

LIVESTOCK MEN MEET.

Galesburg, Ill., March 3.—One hundred and fifty of the most prominent livestock shippers of Illinois met here today to see if some of the restrictions enforced to prevent hoof and mouth disease could not be removed. Suggestions along this line were combated thruout by Dr. A. E. Dyson, the state veterinarian. He asserted in a speech that it would be unsafe to cease cleaning and disinfecting cars.

WEATHER FORECAST AND TEMPERATURES.

ILLINOIS: Fair with rising temperature Saturday, and probably Sunday.

Temperatures.
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:

Jacksonville	17	24	14
Boston	26	38	22
Buffalo	16	20	7
New York	22	34	19
New Orleans	54	58	48
Chicago	20	23	21
Detroit	18	25	10
Omaha	24	24	2
St. Paul	6	10	—4
Helena	4	46	—2
San Francisco	54	56	48
Winnipeg	2	8	—10



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ILDIRIM TEMPLE, NO. 62, D. O. O. K. PLANS BIG CEREMONIAL, APRIL 3

Monday, April 3, was fixed upon as the date for the big D. O. O. K. ceremonial and committees to have the event in charge were named at a business meeting of Ildirim Temple, No. 62, Friday night at Castle hall. The committees follow:
Banquet—James H. Hall, Edward Laboyeaux, L. B. Turner, Edward Tendick, John Kastrup.
Eight Order—Charles Godfrey, E. E. Hatfield, Fred B. Hopper, J. E. Scott and G. A. Faugust.
Program—H. Jay Rodgers, J. O. Monroe and E. A. Olds.
Membership—John S. Sheppard, Rev. W. E. Spooner, J. W. Chipchase, Charles Ratachak and Ralph Dunlap.
Decorations—O. H. Behrman, Walter Alquist and William Ricks.
Music committee—Earl White, Clarence Large and T. E. Drake.

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

WILL MOVE TO OREGON.
Charles Whitman, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Holmes and son, Glenn Holmes, expects to leave some time the coming week for Oregon. They will go direct to Portland, where Mr. Whitman and Mrs. Holmes have a sister living. Mr. Whitman expects to secure a tract of land in Oregon and begin farming operations. His nephew may be with him or may locate in Portland.

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Organized Charity.

Organized charity is sometimes criticised as being conducted along exclusively business lines without enough "heart" in the work. In a city like Chicago, at any rate, this criticism lacks force for when it is considered how many people must be given aid each year it is very clear that only thru organized effort can the needy be properly helped. In Chicago during the year just closed a report showed that 22,000 families were given assistance. The work was more extensive than that of any similar organization in the great city, and the associated charities of New York during the same period aided but 23,000 families.

More Trouble in Mexico.
It must be disconcerting to the administration at Washington to know that General Felix Diaz has a force of more than 50,000 men under arms in Mexico and is moving toward Mexico City. Diaz's agents are said to be negotiating with General Zapata for the support of his forces, and the indications are strong that a new uprising in Mexico is not many days distant. This report came but a few weeks after the recognition given Carranza, and a still shorter time after the murder of twenty-three Americans, whose deaths have not yet been avenged. National defense is admitted to be one of the greatest issues to be discussed in the coming campaign, but the United States' relationship with Mexico will be a close second to that issue.

Women Work in Many Lines.

The early settlers of this country if they were living today would be as much surprised about the changes which have come with reference to the employment of women as they would about any scientific advances. Some interesting facts about this line are given in a report from the department of labor and industry in Pennsylvania. This report shows that in that state 216,899 women are employed outside the home, in 259 varying occupations. In Europe the vast number of women employed is occasioned in large measure by the war. In this country it is different, and the changes have come both because of increased immigration and because of the different status of women. More and more lines of employment are open to them, and it is also due women to say that for some work in which they were formerly barred, they are now preferred because of adaptability, efficiency and faithfulness.

Glynn Replies to Root.

The most caustic speech delivered by any Democratic leader in reply

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THE LUCKLESS MAN

I heard a fellow say, this morn'g,
"I've had hard luck since I was born."
Yet he was fixed with hands and feet,
and health so good 'twas hard to beat.
While he bemoaned his gloomy fate,
and tried to keep his grouch on straight,
and while some maudlin tears he shed,
an ailing cripple forged ahead,
ambition glowing in his eye,
and gathered in a handsome prize.
A blind man, groping in the dark,
in human hands made his mark.
A sick man, tottering with his pen,
produced a book that drew from men so loud a cheer,
of honest praise, as cheered the bal-
ance of his days. A thousand brave,
undaunted chaps, borne down by
grievous handicaps, were struggling
up life's rugged steep, too full of
hopeful plans to weep. How pitiful
the man who stands, with active
lungs and idle hands, complaining
of the luck he's had, since he was but a
knee-high lad!

DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

March 4, 1819—Alexander county was created, the sixteenth in the state.

to that of former Senator Elihu Root at the New York state convention was that by former Governor Martin H. Glynn at the New York Democratic state conference. The former governor charged Mr. Root with inconsistency, and in an effort to prove his point, quoted from the former senator's speech in the senate and from his record as secretary of state. "Root has been claimed as an apostle of peace, and in 1912 was awarded the Nobel prize for the promotion of peace, but now he sallies forth as a drum and trumpet statesman. From a cooing dove of peace, Root suddenly transforms himself into a swooping hawk of war." Mr. Glynn forgets that it is the times that have changed and not Mr. Root.

The former senator is not an advocate of militarism but reads in world events the necessity for changes in the United States' defense program and has adjusted his ideas to meet the needs and conditions of the day. Try as they may, by argument and ridicule, to answer the Root arraignment of the administration's policy and certain Democratic laws, the critics fail and the New York speech will remain a brilliant summary of what the coming national campaign must mean.

U. S. Should Own Washington's Home.

A resolution introduced in the house of representatives in Washington provides for a commission to determine the value of George Washington's famous homestead at Mt. Vernon, so that it can be purchased by the federal government. At present the old home is under the care of an association and a charge is made for admission. The idea of the present movement is that the historic edifice should not be used in a mercenary way, and further that if frequently visited by Americans, it will become a source of inspiration and patriotism especially to the younger citizens.

As the years go on, the greatness of the first president of the United States is not diminished. Even more frequently are his utterances quoted, and statesmen of today find in his letters and documents much that indicates the marvelousness of his vision. It is wonderful, indeed, when one contemplates how the history of this country has carried out in large degree the ideals of Washington and his associates. Trial changes have come which to them would have, no doubt, seemed beyond the range of possibility, yet when one turns to the letters and speeches of Washington, the utterances there are truly prophetic, and a statesmanship is found, so able in its scope that it reaches clear from that early time to the present. The Mt. Vernon home properly belongs among the possessions of this government.

A Philippine Exchange Plan.

An article in the Independent by Edwin E. Slosson under the heading, "Why not swap the Philippines for something nearer home?" has particular point and interest because of the proposition before congress to give the Philippines their independence at a date about four years hence. Differences over the Philippines policy between President Wilson and former Secretary Garrison had some thin to do with the secretary's resignation. Mr. Slosson after an intimate study of island conditions, declares that congress can not make the Philippines "free and independent" unless Santo Domingo and Cuba are considered in that class in view of racial characteristics and inheritance.

Mr. Slosson believes that if the United States desired to be freed from responsibility of the Philippines that all this nation could do would be to transfer them directly or indirectly to some other power, perhaps, England, Germany or Japan. If the Philippines are relinquished, this government must secure the equivalent, for it has been shown that the prosperity of a commercial country is dependent upon the possession of an extensive territory in the tropics.

If present plans are realized in future years, this country will have a much higher place commercially than now. So Mr. Slosson suggests an exchange of the Philippines for British Guiana, the West Indies and Honduras. Their area is nearly the same. They lie in much the same latitude and both contain immense undeveloped resources. The point is that the Philippines are far away from the United States and the British Caribbean possessions are far away from England. But the Philippines come within thirty miles of British territory and the British West Indies come within forty miles of American territory. By such an exchange Mr. Slosson points out that the danger of war would be lessened, the cost of the navy would be incalculable. Certainly this writer has presented a subject to which congress should give most earnest consideration.

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SOUTHERN METHODIST BISHOP MAKING VISIT IN CITY.

Bishop W. R. Lambuth of the Southern Methodist church, who is enroute from Panama to Chicago, will arrive in the city today and will remain over Sunday the guest of his cousin, Dr. A. B. Morey. It is not yet known if he will have an opportunity to speak in any of the churches on Sunday, the friends are trying to perfect such arrangements. Bishop Lambuth was born in China, the son of missionary parents and is widely known as an author, writer and speaker.

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A. H. Denham of Beardstown made a business trip to the city yesterday.

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MARCH 1st, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans.....	\$748,391.36
Bonds and securities.....	61,390.38
Overdrafts.....	11,261.83
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	32,500.00
Other real estate.....	150.00
Cash and exchange.....	350,451.99
	\$1,204,145.56

LIABILITIES

Capital.....	\$ 150,000.00
Undivided profits.....	16,252.22
Deposits.....	1,037,793.34
	\$1,204,145.56

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Howard L. Doan.

CONGRESSMAN WILLIAMS EXPLAINS POSITION ON SUFFRAGE QUESTION

Believes Other Matters More Important Press for Solution.

At a recent meeting of the Woman's club a resolution was adopted directing that a letter be sent to Congressman W. E. Williams with reference to the stand he has taken on the Susan B. Anthony suffrage law which is before congress. The letter was quite tactfully worded, but nevertheless plainly called on the congressman to explain. This resolution and a letter were forwarded by Mrs. J. H. Danskin. Yesterday a reply was received from the congressman in language as follows:

"Washington, D. C., Feb. 29, 1916.

"Mrs. J. H. Danskin, Jacksonville, Ill.

"Dear Madam: I am in receipt of your letter of Feb. 21, relative to the action of the Susan B. Anthony resolution now pending before congress.

I fully agree with you that this is an important question, and I shall hope to report the resolution out of committee in December, but not earlier, unless other matters of more vital importance are disposed of by the usual time for adjournment.

The present session is crowded with grave questions affecting the welfare of the nation which ought to have precedence. I do not believe it possible to dispose of these vital questions in time to consider equal suffrage at the present session, and I am not disposed to encumber the works of the session with matters, however important, that can be disposed of as well in the next session.

"Very truly yours,
"W. E. Williams."

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EQUAL SUFFRAGE
NEWS LETTER
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The Illinois Equal Suffrage association is pleased with the increased activity in civic affairs by its affiliated organizations. Many towns report most interesting out of news regarding betterment of conditions in their communities.

Alton is one instance where the situation is most gratifying. There are three women on the school board who are doing good work. Women secured the appointment of a food and milk inspector. This position is filled by Miss Rose Gillespie. Women are also serving as judges and clerks of election. Women have established municipal dances. Once a week the city gives a dance where the young people are chaperoned by club women. These dances have been self supporting, the young men paying 25 cents and the young women being admitted free. Formerly the young people, who are factory workers, if they danced at all, had to go to beer gardens in summer and saloons in winter. These disreputable places are now closed for lack of patronage. The clean-up of Alton is now celebrated in the movies—the Essanay company having been there with the camera.

The following communication was received by Mrs. Harrison Monroe Brown, state president, which is given to the public to show that efforts are being made to keep the federal suffrage amendment before congress:

Apparently Mr. Webb put one over on the members of his committee who favor the suffrage amendment. The vote to postpone action for this session was close, being nine to seven, with five members of the committee absent. At least four of the absentees favor woman suffrage and would have voted against postponement and for a favorable report in January had they been present. Furthermore, the seven suffragist congressmen attending the meeting made no attempt to defeat Mr. Whaley's motion blocking reconsideration, and in fact paid little attention to it, on the theory that the parliamentary rules applying to the house did not apply to the committee, and that they could later carry a motion

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to reconsider when all their forces were present.

Chairman Webb holds that the committee is governed by the same parliamentary rules as those that control the house and that under those rules he cannot and will not entertain any motion to reconsider the vote by which the suffrage amendment was put over until after election.

The suffrage members of the judiciary committee scold at the idea that Mr. Webb can maintain such a position. They say they will grant the request of Mrs. Frank M. Roessing, chairman of the congressional committee of the national association, to have the vote reconsidered, and that in due time, presumably when they can rally their forces at a future committee meeting, they will contest Chairman Webb's position.

Mrs. Roessing, speaking for the national association, said today that she was confident of being able to secure a reconsideration. Friends of the amendment having assured her that it could and would be done. It is said that some of the members of the committee are ready to take the question before the house in case Chairman Webb declines to modify his present position.

EVANGELISTS VISIT J. H. S.

Students of the Jacksonville high school enjoyed a visit from Rev. P. W. Stephens, minister of First Baptist church, and Mr. Allen, singing evangelist, at the regular chapel hour Friday morning. Mr. Allen sang a

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solo and then led the students in a chorus, "Brighten the Corner." Rev. Mr. Stephens gave a talk on "How to Make Good in Life." He emphasized the necessity of concentration and consecration.

CITY AND COUNTY

M. A. McGill of Pisgah was a city shopper yesterday.

Fred Burch represented Franklin in the city yesterday.

Jerry Roach of Ashland was a city caller yesterday.

Lew H. Pratt was here from Springfield yesterday.

John Bahlin of Chapin was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Thomas Antle was a caller yesterday on city business men.

Mrs. McCabe of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Clyde Stapleton of Ashland made a visit in the city yesterday.

T. J. Kinnane of Carthage had

business in the city yesterday.

Royal Kratz of Mercedosa was a caller on city people yesterday.

J. M. Parkinson of Centralia was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Kl Barr of Chicago is making a long visit with relatives here.

Finnian haddies just received.

Mrs. E. A. Kratz of Beardstown was a city shopper yesterday.

Mrs. McCabe of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

E. P. Kennet, near Alexander, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

George Newman helped represent Virginia in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Snyder were in the city from Franklin yesterday.

Albert Vannier of Neelyville was among Friday visitors in the city.

E. B. Chrisman of the region of Merritt visited the city yesterday.

Thomas Exton of the vicinity of Ashland was in the city yesterday.

Allen Spaenhower of Pisgah had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Harry R. Hart was in St. Louis Friday on business for the Arcade.

Charles McDonald of Litterberry was a Friday visitor in Jacksonville.

Thomas Phelan of Mason City was a caller in the county seat yesterday.

Clyde Stapleton of Ashland journeyed to the city yesterday on business.

Knoles is offering rare inducements in desirable clothing.

Floyd Howard of Mercedosa had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

A. B. McKinney of Lynnville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

C. W. B. M. Has March Meeting.
Mrs. George C. Peck was leader at an interesting meeting of the C. W. B. M. Friday afternoon at Central Christian church. Mrs. W. O. Wait told a mission story and Miss Cora Graham sang a solo. Mrs. G. H. Harney, the president, gave a review of the book, "The King's Highway." Miss Viola Hunt read a mission sketch and Mrs. W. T. Clarkson led in Bible study.

Officers Elected by South Side Circle.
Officers for the year were elected and a program of interest was carried out at the meeting of the South Side circle, entertained by the president, Mrs. E. C. Carpenter, 137 Hardin avenue. The officers follow:
President—Mrs. Herman Weber.
First vice president—Mrs. W. C. Bradish.
Second vice president—Mrs. William Winchester.
Secretary—Mrs. Nelson McMurphy.
Corresponding secretary—Mrs. J. W. Follansbee.
Program committee—Mrs. Newman and Mrs. McIntyre.

Miss Lazelle Hostess to Grace Church Choir.
Members of the choir of Grace M. E. church were pleasantly entertained Friday evening by Miss Rena M. Lazelle at Illinois Woman's college. The choir first assembled for practice in Music hall. The social hour which followed was enlivened by games and clever contests. Refreshments were served.

West Side Thursday Club With Mrs. Taylor.
The West Side Thursday club was entertained for the bi-weekly meeting by Mrs. Gerald Taylor, 405 North Church street, Thursday. The afternoon was spent socially and in sewing. Miss Theresa Deutsch was present as an honor guest.

Were Given Kitchen Rush.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Point church gave a kitchen rush for Mr. and Mrs. David Brown at their home in the point neighborhood Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Brown were recently married and their neighbors took this method of extending them a welcome. About fifty guests were present and the evening was passed in playing ruck and refreshments were served. The occasion was a pleasant one and the couple received many useful gifts.

Marriage Announcement.
Announcement has been made of the marriage of Rex Ranson of Franklin and Miss Florence Reid, north of the city. The ceremony will be said at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reid, Wednesday, March 8. The couple plan to reside on a farm near Woodson.

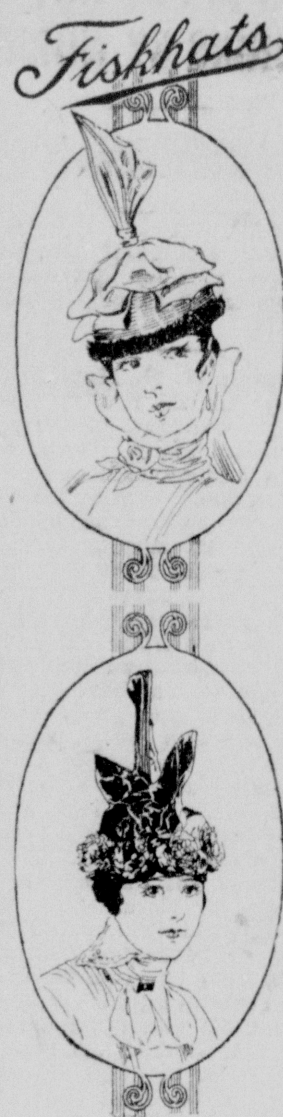
Victrola Social.
At L. O. O. F. Temple.
A Victrola social was given by Illini Lodge No. 4 Friday night which proved an especially enjoyable event. Under the direction of J. P. Brown a fine program was given on the Victrola the lodge has recently purchased. W. W. Schrag gave a splendid colored comedy sketch and Miss Margaret Baptist was heard in a selection, which pleased the company. "When Ladies Act Like Babies." The proceeds of the social will go toward the victrola purchase fund. The committee which had the purchase of the machine in charge and which arranged for the program last night included A. G. Cody, chairman, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cobb, Mrs. Jaeger, Mrs. Walter Brown and C. O. Bayha.

C. E. Banquet at Christian Church.
Members of the Christian Endeavor society and guests enjoyed a banquet Friday evening in the parlors of Central Christian church, served by the Philathea class of the Sunday school. Miss Fern Haigh served as toastmistress. Rev. Mr. Pontius could not be present and in his absence a letter of greeting was read by Miss Edith Carlson.
The program follows:
Greetings from State Street Presbyterian church—Miss Marie Shiert.
Greetings from Northminster church—Ernest Fernandes.
"C. E. Yesterday"—Clarence L. DePew.
Vocal solo—Miss Vera Teachout.
"Campaign for Millions"—Miss Lucille Allison.
Music—Orchestra.
"Social Life of Our Society"—Miss Lois Hayden.

Good Program Friday at First Ward School.
A good program was given Friday afternoon at a meeting of the First Ward Parent-Teachers' association at the Jefferson school. Refreshments were served during a social hour which followed. "Feeding and Care of the Baby" was the theme of an interesting paper by Mrs. J. W. Rhoads. Miss Vivian Pires and Miss Dorothy Green were heard in two duet numbers.
At the business session announcement was made of a motion picture benefit to be given Thursday, March 16, at Scott's theater. It is planned to show "Helen of the North," featuring Marguerite Clark.

Westminster market Saturday, 9 to 1, at Dorwart's Market.

BUYS FINE PERCHERON.
Charles B. Joy has returned from the east where he bought a fine Percheron stallion which he will take to his stock farm in Joy Prairie.
Mrs. Clara Schaeffer of Beardstown made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.



Spring Millinery Announcement

Now in a few days we will be ready with our complete showing of New Fall Millinery. While conditions generally are on the upward trend we are going to follow out former policy of giving the very best and latest style in hats "trimmed to suit your own fancy" for less money than elsewhere. This season we will make a specialty on hats at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, made from the very best Plain and Milan Hemp Braids. Hats that would readily sell for much higher prices, but we prefer to sell our hats more in the reach of everybody's purse. You can with more safety than ever buy your Spring Hat at Floreth's Store. We ask you for a few more days patience. As usual, ALWAYS CASH.

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WHITE HALL PEOPLE WILL WATCH HARRY DEWELL'S TRIAL

Is Charged with Crime Committed Five Years Ago—J. F. Porter Recovering from Illness Caused by Fall—Farewell Party for Mrs. Andrew Davis.

White Hall, March 3.—Mrs. Richard May and son, Floyd of Moline stopped over a day with Mr. May's aunts, Mary and Alice Welch. She is on her way to see her sister in Patterson, who is quite ill.
Mrs. Hiram Watson died at her home on North Main street Monday afternoon, age 76 years. Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at the residence, Rev. Mr. Evert officiating.
J. F. Porter of the national bank fell and bruised his elbow several weeks ago. An abscess developed, with blood poisoning and it was necessary for Mr. Porter to consult a specialist in St. Louis. He is now improving.

There was a great deal of interest here in the case of Harry Dewell, who was arrested in Springfield and taken to Carrollton, charged with an assault five years ago on a girl 11 years of age, a ward of the White Hall Orphans' Home. Dewell was wanted on a like charge in Kirksville, Mo., and the White Hall Home society turned the prisoner over to the sheriff there.
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Howard of Walkerville Feb. 21.
A son was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bridgewater of Oakdale.

George Bell has resigned his position in Nevins & Bell's store and Vern Davis will take his place. Mr. Bell's ill health caused his resignation.

Mrs. F. B. Zerenberg and Miss Georgia Johnson were quite sick this week.

Ernest Foreman of Trinidad, Col., is a guest of his father, Dr. A. W. Foreman of this city. He has just returned from a business trip in the east.
Mrs. McGowan of Syracuse, N. Y., has been helping care for Mrs. Peck, whose hand was injured in the machinery at the laundry several weeks ago.

A number of members of Pocahontas lodge gave a farewell party to Mrs. Andrew Davis before their departure to their new home in Lambert, Mont. She and her two children, Gladys and Paul, expect to leave about March 14. Mr. Davis has been there several months. His health seems greatly benefited.
Rev. W. W. Lewis arrived from Thomson to visit his daughter, Mrs. P. J. Roodhouse.

Among relatives from a distance at the funeral of Louis Osswald were Mrs. Ben Cohen, Jacksonville, and H. P. Lowenstein of Kansas City.
Lester Vinyard's recent sale totaled \$7,008 and all the stock sold well.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baird and family visited her sister, Mrs. Will Lewis of Roodhouse recently.

Mrs. H. C. Morrow of St. Louis attended the funeral of Mrs. Hiram Watson.

HAS REMOVED OFFICE.
I have moved my law office from rooms 4 and 5 to rooms 17 and 18 Morrison block, where I will also transact all business pertaining to the office of Master in Chancery. Illinois telephone number has been changed to 708.

John M. Butler.

NEW CIGAR FIRM.
The Madison Cigar Co. is the name of a new Jacksonville business concern which has leased the Chambers room on West State street and is soon to open. The room was recently vacated by Boxell & Sons and for many years prior to their occupancy was the well known Pratt cigar store and factory. James Wall is identified with the company and is one of the best known among local cigar makers.

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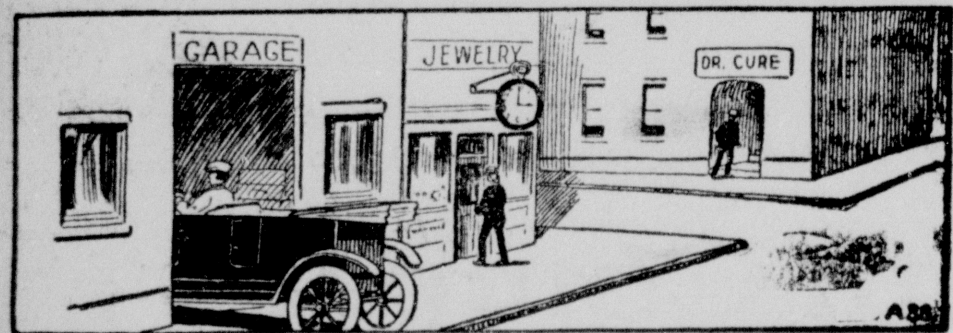
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ILLINOIS IS PUT OUT OF RUNNING BY NORMAL

HARMON ATTRIBUTES DEFEAT TO EXHAUSTION.

Normal Uses Unlimited Supply of Substitutes to Good Advantage—Teams Meet for Final Round Today.

(By Coach W. T. Harmon.)

Bloomington, Ill., March 3.—Illinois college continued playing winning basketball today. This morning Bradley and Augustana met in a terrific struggle. When time was up the score was tied at 34 points each. In the five minute extra period Bradley won by 38 to 35. In the afternoon Illinois upset all dope by completely outplaying the gigantic team of Sweden from Augustana. Coach Conrad started but one regular player, much to his sorrow. When Illinois began to race away with the game the regulars were rushed to the rescue. At the end of the first half the score was 19 to 6. Even in the second half, when Augustana had her full strength on the floor Illinois outplayed them 13 to 11.

Illinois was put out of the running tonight by Normal, 33 to 20. It was a case of exhaustion so far as Illinois was concerned. Two hard games yesterday and two more today was more than the squad could stand. Normal had an unlimited supply of substitutes on hand for all the time and used them to good advantage. At the end of the first half Illinois led by 12 to 8. By pitting fresh players against the tired Illinois men Normal gradually overcame the lead and during the last five minutes of play scored rapidly, winning by 33 to 20.

By defeating Bradley 25 to 17 Wesleyan has qualified for the finals. William and Vashit has done the same thing by winning from Eastern Normal, 31 to 20.

Saturday Wesleyan, William and Vashit, the winner of the Normal-Bradley game and the winner of the Illinois-Eastern Normal contest will play in the final round.

Wesleyan playing on the home floor has a very decided advantage and seems likely to win.

Afternoon Results.

Illinois (Jacksonville), 32; Augustana, 19.

McKendree, 23; Normal (Normal), 44.

Eureka, 22; Millikin, 26.

Blackburn, 15; Hedding, 33.

Wesleyan, 25; Bradley, 17.

Springfield Defeats Bloomington.

Springfield, Ill., March 3.—Springfield high school, 36; Bloomington high school, 18.

Champaign Defeats Danville.

Danville, Ill., March 3.—Champaign high, 22; Danville high, 12.

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DURBIN.

Miss Hattie Scott is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy McKinney, at Lynville.

Miss Irene Oxley and Frank Wilson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Rees to Springfield Friday.

The W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. George Ebbey Wednesday, March 1.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jas. McCormick served a splendid turkey dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday of the host, of Mrs. Edward Barrows, and of Mr. Samuel Darley. The celebration had been delayed on account of illness, but was no less enjoyable by having been postponed. Those presents were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barrows, Ralph and Paul Barrows, Robert Smith, Sr., Mrs. Jane Newman and Mrs. Milch Laverick, of Broadlands; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Darley; Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Jr., and Mrs. Vancil, of Franklin, whose birthday was also being celebrated.

T. B. Smith and Geo. Oxley sold some fat hogs at 8c last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDewitt spent Thursday in Sangamon county.

Marshall Rees is suffering with a broken leg.

Mrs. Thos. Ebbey is ill.

Mrs. John Shirley and daughter, Ethel are both ill.

Grover Shepherd held a public sale Monday, disposing of his stock, implements, furniture, etc., and expects to start for N. Dakota soon.

Virgil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mills, is recovering from the pneumonia.

Mrs. Thos. Oxley and son, Laurence, are slightly improved but still unable to be up.

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CAIRO, Egypt, arch 3.—via London—Sidi Barani a town in Western Egypt was re-occupied without opposition by British forces yesterday after being for three months in the hands of tribesmen commanded by Turkish officers.

Further information indicates that the Turkish casualties on Feb. 26th, were heavy. Thirty three thousand rounds of ammunition, a machine gun, fifty camels and a large quantity of dates were captured. Among the prisoners were Gasfar Pasha, the second in command and Nebahd Bey and thirty others.

The British casualties included two officers killed and six wounded.

POULTRYMEN CLOSE MEETING.

Decatur, Ill., March 3.—Decatur was today selected for the 1917 convention of the Illinois Poultry and Egg Shippers' association at its closing session. Springfield and Peoria were also after the meeting. New members of the board of directors are H. L. Patton, Bloomington; Fred Martin, Pana; William Manning, Morrisonville; C. L. Hatfield and Max Altiss, Decatur, and Thomas Dickinson, Tuscola.

INAUGURATE NEW LINE OF INQUIRY

Washington, March 3.—A new line of inquiry was inaugurated today by the senate committee considering the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court. William Whitman, a woolen manufacturer of Boston, and William H. Ingersoll, a watch manufacturer of New York, were summoned to testify. It is understood, as to what connection, if any, Mr. Brandeis had with the unsuccessful campaign for passage of the Stevens price bill by congress.

SEVERE STORM FROM EAST.

Norfolk, Va., March 3.—One of the worst storms of the winter is sweeping the Virginia Capes tonight and marine circles fear that shipping will suffer considerable.

WALKER SPEAKS IN DECATUR.

Decatur, Ill., March 3.—John H. Walker, president of the state federation of labor spoke here tonight in the interest of a campaign being inaugurated to increase the scope of organized union labor. He urged strict adherence to union principles and a strong fight to organize many occupations here which are not unionized.

CHICAGO DEFEATS OHIO.

Chicago, March 3.—The University of Chicago by a score of 27 to 12, defeated Ohio state in a Western conference basketball game here tonight.

ONLY ONE ROAD BETWEEN CHICAGO AND NEW YORK HAS TRACKS CLEAR

Tribune This Morning Will Say 100,000 Loaded Cars Are Backed Upon Storage Tracks Between the Two Cities.

Chicago, March 3.—Only one of the thru railways between Chicago and New York has its tracks clear, according to a story which will be published in the Chicago Tribune tomorrow.

The story will say that there are 100,000 cars, loaded to the roofs, backed up on storage tracks between the two cities.

“Goods that left Chicago in December have not gotten within 300 miles of New York.

“The dock piers, private warehouses, public storehouses and finally the bare ground are littered with delayed freight. The freight lying on the ground alone will total millions of dollars.

The story is credited to a traffic expert sent out to investigate the car shortage situation for a big Chicago corporation. The expert will be quoted as saying:

“Bad weather, lack of bottoms, the rush of export goods to the seaboard and finally the tremendous increase in the domestic movement have all combined to make the situation more serious. In addition the railways have been woefully inefficient.”

The expert was further quoted as saying that “ruly rumors” have been afloat that undue influence has been used to expedite the movement of munitions of war, but that these rumors have never been confirmed.

“Americans probably do not realize the full extent of the munitions movement. A banking authority in New York told that the Bethlehem plant alone was turning out more munitions than all the English plants put together.”

BRITISH STEAMERS REPORT BEING FIRED ON AND CHASED

Rumors that German Raider Had Slipped into Hampton Roads Cannot be Confirmed.

Newport News, March 3.—Captain Griffiths of the British Steamer Swiftwings, reported on the ship's arrival here tonight that he was fired on twice by a mysterious ship about a hundred miles off the Virginia capes twelve days ago. Simultaneously Captain Johnson of the British Steamer Lady Plymouth, brought into Norfolk a report that he had been chased for 36 hours by a mysterious craft, which he finally eluded in the darkness.

Captain Griffiths said the vessel that fired on him was five miles away and he could make out her outline but dimly. He thought she had two funnels. Two other suspicious craft had been sighted by the Swiftwings near Bermuda, the captain said. Captain Johnson could not describe the vessel that followed him, but said she did not get within firing distance of the Lady Plymouth. The chase occurred, he said, in mid-Atlantic.

There were rumors tonight that a German raider late today had slipped into Hampton Roads but nothing to confirm them developed and they were not credited in shipping circles.

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PHILADELPHIA BUSINESS MEN GO TO SCHOOL

Philadelphia, March 2.—A course of training for business men and students in the methods of conducting foreign trade opened today in Philadelphia, under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. Two evenings a week the business men who are anxious to extend their business abroad will bring their managers to school. The course is directed by Frank N. Poe, of the foreign trade bureau, and the directing heads are composed of prominent business and professional men.

THAW SEEKS DIVORCE.

Pittsburgh, March 3.—The hearing of the suit for divorce brought by Harry K. Thaw against his wife, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, opened here today before a master appointed by the court to hear the testimony. The hearings will be private. Mrs. Thaw was not present and it was learned that she was not represented by counsel.

MRS. GREEN SELLS GOLD MINE.

San Francisco, March 3.—The purchase from Mrs. Hetty Green, the New York capitalist, of the Old Eureka gold mine at Sutter Creek, Amador county, California, by a syndicate of eastern millionaires said to have been negotiating for the property for more than three years, was announced here tonight. The price was said to have been more than \$1,000,000 and the deal a spot cash transaction.

STEAMER IN DISASTER.

New York, March 4.—S. O. S. calls from the Brazilian Steamship Seripe about fifty miles south of Sandy Hook were picked up by wireless stations here early today. A British auxiliary cruiser, supposed to be the Caronia, wirelessed that she had received the Seripe's distress call and had been told to stand by.

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SEVERAL STATES TO ACCEPT ILLINOIS STOCK SHIPMENTS

Twenty Agree to Take Stock for Any Purpose When Accompanied by Certificate Issued by a Federal Inspector.

Springfield, Ill., March 3.—Following the recent indorsement by Illinois farmers at Decatur of the federal order placing the foot and mouth situation under control of United States authorities, the following states have agreed to accept stock for any purpose when accompanied by a certificate issued by a federal inspector, according to Dr. O. Orsparger, United States bureau representative:

Maryland, New Hampshire, Delaware, Rhode Island, Maine, Tennessee, Minnesota, Alabama, New Jersey, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Missouri, Florida, Georgia, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, South Dakota, New York and Mississippi.

The states of Vermont, Connecticut and North Dakota will accept stock provided permits are first obtained from the authorities of these states.

The states of Massachusetts, Virginia and Kentucky will accept stock for immediate slaughter only.

The state of Indiana will accept stock provided permits are first obtained from the Indiana authorities and stock does not pass thru stockyards.

The state of Wisconsin accepts emigrant stock subject to the state regulations at destination.

The states of Nebraska, Iowa, Colorado and South Carolina have not modified their regulations to date, and will not accept stock from Illinois.

AMERICAN MAYORS ORGANIZE TO PROMOTE NATIONAL DEFENSE

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St. Louis, Mo., March 3.—A permanent organization of American mayors to promote the cause of national defense was effected here today at a meeting of mayors and their representatives from 80 large cities.

The organization is to be known as the National Defense Conference of Mayors. The principal speakers at today's sessions were Mayor Mitchell of New York, Cornelius Vanderbilt of New York and Professor Roland Usher of Washington University, St. Louis.

General George Harris of Omaha, speaking at the afternoon session referred to the “authorized murder” of American soldiers during the Spanish American war thru negligence. The principal meeting of the conference took place tonight.

The principal speakers were Robert Bacon, former secretary of state and Luke E. Wright, former secretary of war.

About 1,000 persons attended the night meetings. The keynote of all the speeches was Americanism, all the speakers dwelling on the point that there must be no hyphenated allegiance.

Mention of William J. Bryan and Henry Ford as the foremost opponents of preparedness by Mr. Metcalf brought forth laughter from the audience. The names of President Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt were heartily cheered.

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INFANT MORTALITY RATES **(FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES)**

Records Kept in this Country are Very Incomplete.

What is an infant mortality rate? The terms "infant mortality rate" or "baby death rate" means the relation between the number of babies under one year of age who die in one calendar year to the number of babies born alive during that year. This is usually expressed as the number of deaths of babies which occur for 1,000 births.

Each country, each city or town, and each rural community should know first of all what its infant death rate is and then should do its utmost to lower this rate by all methods that have proved successful elsewhere.

What is the infant mortality rate of the United States? On account of the incomplete birth registration of this country the mortality rate can only be estimated. The Census Bureau estimates in 1911 that 124 deaths of babies occurred for 1,000 live births (this being the rate in that portion of the country known as the registration area). The estimate has been made that about 300,000 babies die yearly in this country. About one-fifth of the deaths occurring each year at all ages are of children under one year.

How does the infant death rate of other countries compare with that of this country?

Deaths of infants under 1 year of age per 1,000 live births in foreign countries.*

Country	Year	Deaths under one year per 1,000 live births
Chile	1911	332
Russia	1909	248
Ceylon	1912	215
Jamaica	1912	192
German Empire	1911	192
Roumania	1912	186
Hungary	1912	186
Austria	1912	180
Bulgaria	1909	171
Belgium	1911	167
Japan	1910	160
Spain	1907	158
Italy	1911	153
Prussia	1912	145
Servia	1911	146
Switzerland	1911	123
Scotland	1911	112
Ontario	1912	110
Finland	1912	109
England and Wales	1912	95
Denmark	1912	93
Netherlands	1912	87
Ireland	1912	80
France	1912	78
Australia	1912	72
Sweden	1911	72
Norway	1911	65
New Zealand	1912	51

*Compiled from statistics contained in the Seventy-fifth Annual Report of the Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages in England and Wales, 1912.

"The same conditions which cause the death of 13 out of every 100 babies born throughout the civilized world leave more or less permanent stamps on perhaps two or three times as many more babies who somehow manage to crawl over the infant death line, many of whom will be the fathers and mothers of the next generation. The problem of infant mortality, therefore is far more than one of decreasing the number of infant deaths. Its scope is world wide, and on its partial solution at least depends the welfare of posterity. The call for action on such a problem may fairly be called urgent."—E. B. Phelps.

PROBATE COURT.

In the estate of B. F. Ragsdale, inventory filed has been approved.

In the estate of Margaret Duvenack, petition was allowed for award and the appearance of the administrator was entered by J. O. Priest, his attorney.

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All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 24th day of February, A. D., 1916.

Ellen Mallen,

POLITICS LIVELY NOW IN **ROODHOUSE AND VICINITY**

Many Candidates Have Appeared in Democratic Ranks—Two Night Patrolmen Now Serve the Town.

Roodhouse, March 3.—Politics in and around this city is in a lively condition, at least there is marked activity among Democrats, who would like to fill the office of tax collector for Roodhouse township. Seven candidates are in the field at this time and each man is making the best race possible. From the outlook there seems to be no favorite. George H. Bundy heads the list of prospectives. Mr. Bundy is the junior partner of the Bundy undertaking firm and is very well known throughout the township. Louis Ballard, a young auctioneer, also places his name as a possible elector for the position. Joe C. Smith, a railroad man will probably run near the front on election day. C. A. Spencer, barber, is counted upon as being very formidable to the other opponents. Nothing is known of the racing qualities of E. C. Barnett, another railroad worker, but it is generally supposed that he will poll a good vote. Allie Vaughn hails from the vicinity of Barrow, but at the present is in business in this city. He will also be expected to pull many votes from his former home in the Barrow precinct.

Probably the most promising of candidates in the Barrow district is George P. Williams, who resides at that point. John P. Trudt, of this city has lately placed his announcement in the field as a candidate for the position, and taking every thing into consideration, the race for collector of this township will be one of the hottest that has been staged for some years.

C. J. Crist is the only candidate at this time for the office of assessor, and Matt Cotter from District No. 3, is a candidate for highway commissioner.

Two Watchmen Now.

We have ample police protection now, that's why. A recent order from the council granted the position of night police to John Siebermann, and this action ousted James Sawyer, who has held the position for a number of years. The action of the council did not set well with a majority of the business men, and steps were taken to retain Sawyer as a special watchman for business house protection. Hence the double guard for the commonwealth.

AN EXPERIMENTAL SCHOOL

AT CHAMPAIGN.

The new sanitation law has brought boards of directors, boards of education and all administrative officers face to face with certain questions which they find have not all been answered definitely by competent authorities. Just what is an adequate method of heating and ventilation for school buildings has not been determined in a wholly satisfactory way. Not even the principles which control have been established beyond question. The matters relating to heating and lighting are not easily determined and administered. Arrangements are being made with the department of architecture and the school of education of the state university to give a demonstration or experiment along the line of sanitary school construction and equipment extending over four or five weeks. It is the purpose to test out various methods of heating, ventilation and lighting. The county superintendents, the city superintendents, and members of boards of education will be invited by the superintendent of public instruction to meet in conference and to listen to reports on the results of these experiments, and to examine as far as possible the experiments themselves. It is impossible at the present time to go into detail as to the exact character of these demonstrations. It is believed, however, that they will fail to render a distinct service to all administrative officers in public education.—(Educational Press Bulletin.)

ANOTHER STEP IN

PREPAREDNESS.

Walter B. Miser, general manager of the Jacksonville Railway and Light company, has received a letter relative to the illumination of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor. The letter is being sent out by the New York World and it purposed to raise \$30,000 for the machinery and equipment necessary.

The letter states the consent of the government has been secured to the plan and the expense of operating will be assumed by the government. It is the intention to raise the money by popular subscription and as far as possible in small amounts to make the movement as national in character as possible.

Mr. Miser has replied to the letter and intimated that he does not believe the people of the middle west will be very enthusiastic in contributing the illumination of New York harbor. However, he will take the matter up soon and it is probable that with the present agitation on preparedness that considerable money will be secured.

AT CREAMERY CONVENTION.

L. T. Potter was in Bloomington Thursday attending a convention of the Illinois Creamery Men's association. Sessions were held in the rooms of the commercial association and the convention was addressed by Mayor Jones and by Secretary Hudson of the commercial club. "Improvement of Illinois Butter" was the morning theme and in the afternoon Dr. Harding of the state university spoke on methods of butter improvement.

DEPUTY FIRE MARSHAL HERE.

Deputy Fire Marshal W. S. Berger was in the city Friday on business connected with his office. Mr. Berger's mission here was to inspect the basements of business buildings and he was kept busy during the day.

SWISS DEFENSE PLAN MEANS EQUAL RIGHTS

No Just Reason Why One Able-Bodied Citizen Should Expect Another Able-Bodied Citizen to Do His Fighting—Sons of Rich Families Are Compelled to Do Their Part.

(From the Spokane Spokesman-Review.)

The declaration of the Union League club of New York for universal military service for all able-bodied men is an effective answer to the assertion occasionally heard that if the United States should find itself in a defensive war the burden of fighting would be thrown on the workingman.

Under the unfair volunteer plan there may be some semblance of truth in that complaint. Under compulsory universal service, as with the Swiss system, that injustice would disappear.

The Union League club has a large membership of wealthy and well-to-do men. When they declare for compulsory training of all the young men of the nation they manifest a democratic and patriotic readiness to bear their share of the burden of national defense. It means that such of them as were of military age would be enrolled in the great citizen army of the republic. If war should come their sons, their nephews, their friends would have to go to the front.

Swiss Plan Beneficial

The Swiss plan carries three invaluable features:

1. It is essentially just. The rich, the well to do and the poor are all called on alike to render their share of patriotic service. There is one common need for all—not two beds, as under the volunteer plan; a bed of sacrifice for the high spirited volunteers and a bed of defended ease for the shirkers in the land.

2. It develops the physical qualities of the individual and the nation and, thru discipline, the moral qualities as well. The youth is made a better, more reliant, more efficient man.

3. It would give the United States a defensive force so large and ample that the risk of war would practically vanish. With a strong navy as our first line of defense, a small regular army as the second line, and several million young and hardy Americans for the third line, trained to use a rifle, to maneuver in the field, to take care of themselves in camp and on the march, it is beyond reasonable belief that we could ever be assailed; and if any foreign power should be so reckless as to try to land an invading force upon these shores, the outcome would never be doubted for a moment. Our people would go calmly about their allotted industrial and business tasks. We should scarcely feel the shock of war at all.

Should Be Ample to Protect

The lessons of Europe's great war point impressively to our need of preparedness that will be ample to protect. Even such noted former peace advocates as Nathan Straus have been driven reluctantly to that belief.

"Now the power to do this thing—the power to prevent war," de-

clares Mr. Straus, "can be achieved only by the most thorough preparedness on the part of the nations that want peace and order in the world."

"This, I maintain, is the overwhelming reason why America should have a powerful navy and a strong army and the thorough equipment essential to the efficient use of this power."

"We need this preparedness not to fight battles, but to prevent battles being fought." I deny emphatically that preparedness leads to war. I assert with deep conviction that thorough preparedness on the part of America will be the best guarantee that the world can have that there will be no more wars.

"If it is possible for this country to be threatened by war—and who can say that it is not possible—can such a calamity be better averted by weakness or by strength?"

That strength must not be sought in a great standing army. All our traditions, all our convictions, all the judgment of great Americans of the present and the past, speak a solemn protest against the building up of a vast standing army and placing on it the nation's hope of peace and defense.

We ought to put our trust in a citizen army of defense that will impress powerfully every ambitious aggrandizing country in the world.

The national safety, the perpetuation of peace, our sense of fairness and our principle of equality of all before the law, speak weightily for the Swiss plan. We cannot afford to stake so much on the bare hope that volunteers will always be found. If we are to be prepared we must make our preparations in time of peace.

Modern warfare, as every one must see, calls for long preparation on a definite and continuous policy. That policy can not be built and maintained on the uncertainties of volunteer response.

There is no reason why everything should be expected from the volunteer and nothing demanded from the shirkers. There is no reason why one able-bodied American should expect another able-bodied American to do his fighting for him. There is no reason why one selfish household should be allowed to keep its sons out of training, and out of fighting it war should come, while the brave sons of other braver and more patriotic families send their sons to the flag.

If we mean it when we declare about "equal right for all and special privileges to none," we should make our national defense democratic in fact as well as in campaign oratory, with patriotic service from all who are physically fit to give it.

That will make for justice, for peace, for a stronger nation physically and a manhood more efficient from discipline and a patriotic duty done.

Folks In Our Town

(Protected by The Adams Newspaper Service.)

DRAWING THE LINE

"A seed catalogue came by mail this afternoon," said Mrs. Jamesworthy, "and I think we ought to look over it and order the things we'll need for our garden."

"We won't need anything for our garden," replied Jamesworthy. "There isn't going to be any garden this year. We are going to buy our garden sass at the green grocers or the yellowgrocers or some other grocer."

"I know I have made the same bluff in past years, and you have always wheedled me out of my determination to have no garden, but this year I put my foot down, Mrs. Jamesworthy, and declare in clarion tones that the stuff is off. There will be no early climbing rhubarb or excelsior vines in our back yard this year. My determination would give points to the Medes and the Persians, so there's no use harping on this subject."

"Gardening is great sport in the early spring. I am willing to admit that, for the sake of argument. Then a man feels a natural yearning, inherited from Father Adam, to fuss around with spades and hoes. There is satisfaction in planting dried apples and nutmegs and such things, looking forward to the time when their stalks will lift their fronded palms in air, or words to that effect. But the glamor of this sort of thing soon wears off."

"As the spring advances, the yearning I have spoken of evapor-

ates, and the garden has no further allurements. There is no longer any pleasure in cultivating the ground, there are so many more interesting things to do. The married man who establishes a garden is hanging a millstone around his own neck. He forfeits the liberty for which his fathers bled and died. He is a slave, Mrs. Jamesworthy. The sun sets and its last beam falls on a slave."

"Last summer the young men of the neighborhood organized a twilight baseball league, playing their games in Whitesmith's pasture. Everybody said that the games that they played were good enough for the big leagues, and there was great excitement all over this suburb. I was simply perishing to go and see the sport, but you fairly pushed me into that garden every evening, and I wrestled around with the silly old squashes and cucumbers, when other men, less deserving, were seated on the bleachers drinking ice-cold pop out of bottles, and expressing their views touching the umpire."

"One night I did break away and go to the ball game, and when I came home I found you lying on the lounge, crying rings around yourself. When I had soothed you until you could speak coherently, you explained that you just knew the non-skidding egg plants were perishing for lack of attention and instead of trying to rescue them I went pirouetting off to a silly ball game."

"This year there will be no tragedies of that kind."

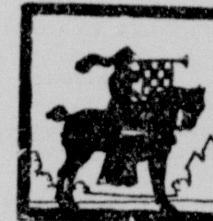
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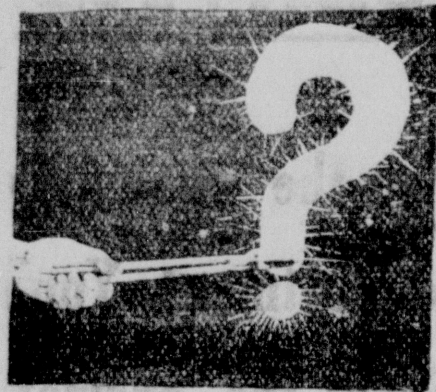
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WILL CALL ATTENTION OF COMMISSION TO CONTRACT

Players' Fraternity Want James H. Johnston's Rights Acknowledged by the Contracting Parties.

New York, March 3.—According to members of the Baseball Players' Fraternity the attention of the national commission shortly will be called to the involved status of the contract held by James H. Johnston, formerly of the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast league, Johnston who is an outfielder, jumped to the Federal league club of Newark last fall. Later in the season Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn Nationals, announced that he had signed the player.

After the peace agreement between the Federal league and organized ball, Ebbets purchased the Johnston contract from Harry Sinclair who represented the Newark Federals. Johnston now contends that Ebbets, by purchasing his Federal league contract, is obligated by its terms, which of the Brooklyn club holds that an alleged verbal agreement made with Johnston warrants it in insisting that the player sign contract calling for a salary of \$3,400 a year with the ten day release clause included.

The officers of the players' fraternity claim that certain private financial positions made in correspondence with Johnston are violations of the Cincinnati agreement between the fraternity and organized baseball. Under this interpretation the club would be subjected to a fine and Johnston declared a free agent.

Johnston is determined to hold either the Federal league of the Brooklyn club to his \$4,000 contract, which covers 1916 and 1917. Members of the players' fraternity state that there will not be a strike over the matter, but that it is likely to be carried to the courts unless Johnston's rights are acknowledged by the contracting parties involved.

PRESENTS STALLION TO CANADA.

Ottawa, March 3.—The famous stallion Amner, under whose feet Miss Davison, the suffragette lost her life at the derby of 1913, has been presented to Canada by the king of England for the breeding of remounts.

When the racing horses were at top speed, Miss Davison rushed out and clutched the bridle rein of the king's horse, bringing him down upon her and losing her life as a result.

Amner was put out of the race. The new Canadian sire has a distinguished pedigree.

LEWIS TO MEET BRITTON.

New Orleans, La., March 3.—Ted Lewis of England who claims the world's welter championship because of his decision over Harry Stone Wednesday was matched to meet Jack Britton here for the title. The bout will be for 20 rounds and probably will be staged April 17 or 23.

TO MEET IN MOLINE.

Chicago, March 3.—A schedule meeting of the Three Eye Baseball league will be held at Moline, Ill., March 9, it was announced here tonight.

VANGENT GOES TO TEXAS U.

Columbia, Mo., March 3.—C. E. Vangent, basketball and freshman football coach at the University of Missouri resigned today to become head coach at the University of Texas. He will be in full charge of football, basketball and track at the southern institution.

EHLER DENIES REPORT.

Madison, Wis., March 3.—George W. Ehler today denied a report that he had resigned as director of athletics of the University of Wisconsin.

SEATON TO JOIN CUBS.

Chicago, March 3.—Tom Seaton, the pitcher last year with the Brooklyn Federals and recently bought by the Cubs, telegraphed from New York today that he would join the training camp at Tampa. He has been a holdout.

RECEIVE SIGNED CONTRACT.

Quincy, Ill., March 3.—The signed 1916 contract of Johnny Castle, manager of the Quincy Three Eye league baseball team in 1915 was received today from Philadelphia where he is spending the winter.



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INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION TO MEET TODAY

Will Award Forty-first Annual Championship Meet and Elect Leland Stanford, Jr., U. S. to Membership.

New York, March 3.—The annual convention of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America will be held in this city tomorrow. Among the more important matters to come before the delegates from the 29 colleges and universities composing the organization will be the awarding of the forty-first annual championship meet, the election of Leland Stanford, Jr., university to membership and amendments to the constitution.

Harvard, Syracuse and Johns Hopkins universities have all extended invitations to the association to hold the intercollegiate championships at their respective athletic fields next May. Harvard is considered to have the best chance of obtaining the games. The proposed amendments to the constitution include a number of changes in the definition and status of an amateur athlete.

After the conference of the I. C. A. A. A. the association will hold its second annual indoor track and field games at Madison Square Garden. Teams from Princeton, Michigan, Harvard, Yale, Brown, Columbia, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts Tech, Syracuse, Cornell and other colleges will compete. All events including sprints, field and track contests will be team competitions with total points scored to decide the winning colleges in the first three places in each event.

POCKET BILLIARD SCORES.

Chicago, March 3.—Frank Taberski of Schneetday defeated James Maturo of Denver 100 to 28 in the national pocket billiard tournament today. Taberski went out in 32 innings.

Mike Patrie of Chicago, with a high run of 26, won from J. L. Chapman of Chicago. Patrie scored his 100 points in 20 innings, while Chapman was accumulating 13.

In the first evening game Charles Cowboy Weston, Chicago defeated Morris Fink, Philadelphia, 100 to 52 in 49 innings.

FRIDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.
Met at 11 a. m.

Defeated legislation to warn Americans off armed ships by a vote of 68 to 14.

Brandeis hearing continued.

Resumed debate on Shields' waterpower bill.

Recessed at 5:05 p. m. to noon Saturday.

House.

Met at noon.

Foreign affairs committee considered armed ship warning resolution.

Naval committee reported Haitian constabulary bill.

Foreign affairs committee voted 17 to 2 to report resolution providing that the McLeome resolution warning Americans off armed ships be tabled and declaring that diplomatic negotiations should be conducted by the president without congressional interference.

Recessed at 5:05 p. m. to noon Saturday.

FRANKLIN.

Mrs. J. P. Woods and son, Wendell Philip, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Wright, of Jacksonville.

Since Mrs. W. C. Hart has not had a birthday in four years before, a number of her friends saw fit to call on her Tuesday evening, Feb. 29, and remind her of the fact. Refreshments were served and all had a royal good time.

Mrs. John Bland, who is ill with pneumonia, still remains very sick. A number of our citizens were called to Jacksonville Thursday as witnesses on the trial of Charles Wright.

Mrs. Anton Koehler has been very ill for several days.

Oze Bottom and family have moved into the village from the William Gray farm east of town.

Charles E. Mann returned to Virden after a Sunday visit with friends in the village.

Mrs. J. B. Wright and son, Johnnie, returned to New Berlin Sunday after a short visit at home. Parker Seymour and family have moved to the Rawlings homestead where Parker will farm the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Massie were Jacksonville shoppers Monday.

The Masons held their regular meeting Wednesday and had special degree work. The Eastern Star members served supper for the members.

The Catholic members have the tickets distributed for their play, "Civil Service," which is to be given March 17.

Miss Gayelle Olinger visited over Sunday with Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. Hattie Dunn still remains in a critical condition. Her son, Ota, is able to be up after an attack of tonsillitis.

BLUFFS WILL HAVE FIVE DAY CHAUTAUQUA

Plans are well under way for "the Community Chautauqua" to be held in Bluffs next summer. Officers have been elected and committees will soon be announced. The program will last five days and will include twenty numbers. It is planned to have a special household science day and a good roads day.

Following are the officers:
President—J. A. Knoepfel.
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Secretary—Walter Andre.
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The emblem of the Gideons. A band of them will arrive in Jacksonville today to hold services tomorrow.

FRANKLIN TROUNCES MANCHESTER IN CLOSE GAME FRIDAY

Score 13 to 12—Score End of First Half 6 to 6—Large Crowd Attended.

Franklin Independents defeated Manchester high school at Franklin Friday evening by a score of 13 to 12. The game was fast thruout and it was anybody's game until the last whistle blew. The score at the end of the first half was a tie at 6 to 6, and the score was tied four different times during the contest. There was a large crowd and it was kept on its toes all the time by the fast work of both teams.

There is great rivalry between the teams and a few days ago the Independents, thru the Journal, asked for a series of games with the Manchester boys. It is evident that the Manchester boys are game as the first game was played last night. Franklin's proposition was to play a game at Franklin and one at Manchester. If a third game is necessary Franklin is willing to toss a coin for the place to play or else play it on neutral floor, which would be in Jacksonville. The lineup follows:

Franklin	FG	FT	T
Gates, H.	4	1	9
Stewart, H.	1	0	2
Hart, C.	1	0	2
Reerup, E.	0	0	0
Burnett, E.	0	0	0

Totals	FG	FT	T
Manchester	6	1	13
Sloan, H.	0	0	0
Correa, H.	0	0	0
Jasper, C.	2	0	4
Larkin, J.	3	0	6
Goodall, E.	1	0	2

Totals 6 0 12
Referee—Munce, Franklin.

CHAPIN.

The Chapin high school gave a program Friday afternoon which was well attended and which showed good training and skill on the part of each student taking part. The numbers follow:

Song by the school.
"The Life of George Washington"
—Miss Mary Owings.

Vocal solo—Bernard Allen.
Debate, "Resolved, That Washington did more for his country than did Lincoln." Walter Williams and Miss Vivian Alderson supported the negative and Miss Addie Fox and Harry Vortman, the negative. The negative side was the winner.

Bert Alumbaugh, who was called a few days ago to Browning, has serious illness of his brother, has returned to Chapin. His brother, who was suffering from pneumonia, he left improved.

William Markham, who has been seriously ill at his home for several days, is slightly improved.

Otis Johnson was a business caller in Jacksonville Friday.

Charles Thomason of Mercedosia was a business visitor in Chapin Friday.

Ladies of the Methodist church will give a bakery sale this afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Bump of Granite City is in Chapin for a visit of several days with Mrs. J. B. Thompson.

Miss Daisy Emeric of Jacksonville spent Friday with Mrs. Frank Conchman.

Mrs. Jesse Goltra Stone of Sangamon county was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reynolds and other friends and relatives in the city yesterday.

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FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs, 70c a setting; \$1 per 100. Mrs. E. R. Carter, R. No. 7. Both phones. 2-18-1f

FOR SALE—Percheron stallion, imported. J. F. Strawn 1231 Mound Ave. Ill. phone 787, Bell 788. 3-1-1f

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows, give when fresh 2.2 and 1.8 lbs. butterfat daily. Ed H. Ransom, R. No. 2, Bell Phone. 3-1-6t

FOR SALE—Bred to lay Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching; 200 egg strain. C. O. Bayha, Ill. phone 50-1161. 3-4-1f

FOR SALE—Building lot, on west Morgan street. First lot west of Merrington's gas well. Call at Seaver's Blacksmith shop or phone Ill. 208. 3-1-6t

FOR SALE—For quick clearance to close out store, rugs, matting, linoleums, window shades, etc. S. Calky, Scott block. 3-2-1f

8-16—HAPPY FARMER, \$550 oil tractor and Ball tractor. Call or address Richard Day, 74 E. Railroad street, Illinois phone 747. 2-22-1mo

FOR QUICK, CAREFUL Parcel Delivery service and baggage transfer, call Alvin Abquist, either phone 850. (Cherry's Livery). 3-4-1f

BARRED ROCK EGGS 15 for \$1. Illinois phone 418. Cocks cocked 92 and 91. Len Magill. 2-11-1mo

FOR SALE—Yellow Dent Seed corn 82.00 a bushel, J. T. Lightfield, Murrayville, Ill. 2-11-1mo

FOR SALE—Yellow Dent seed corn on 82.00 a bushel. May 12. Strawn, R. No. 7. 2-13-1f

FOR SALE—Brown leghorn hens; winter layers. Eggs 50c for 30. 322 West Walnut. 2-13-1f

FOR SALE—Select seed corn and strawberry plants; also Texas seed oats (Formaldehyde treated). I guarantee quality. J. N. James, Illinois phone 86. 2-13-1mo

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from the laying strain of Buff Orpingtons, by hundreds or setting. Ill. Phone 50-1373. 2-9-1mo

FOR SALE—Baled stubble clover and timothy hay; apples and oats. E. G. Dewese, Bell phone 950-2. 2-27-1mo

FOR SALE—A six room house with new furnace and electric lights, 134 West Morton Ave. (Can be bought at a bargain if taken at once. Inquire at 126 West Morton Ave., or see J. R. Kiekman. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—No. 211 North Prairie St., the late Miss McLeary home. Lot 70 x 130, main building two stories frame, 8 rooms and cellar, north ell one and half stories, includes kitchen or laundry, drying room, coal and storage, other separate outbuildings, well, cistern. All in good repair. Terms cash or part short time. W. E. Veitch, executor, 402 Ayers Bank Bldg. 3-1-1f

MISCELLANEOUS
MONEY TO LEND ALWAYS—The Johnson Agency. 3-1-1f

IF YOU HAVE MONEY TO INVEST see us. 502 Ayers Bank Bldg. CHOICE CLOVER and timothy seed. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. 1-23-1f

SPECIAL BARGAINS—Harness and strap work. Prices right. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co. 1-22-1f

PAINTING, Rubber Tires, Wood Work, Buggy Repairs, Furrows, Keemer building. 3-7-1mo

STAR TAXI CAB CO.—Day and night service. Phones 665. 2-23-1mo

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE" says Kennedy's Carriage Line. Call us for all trains. Illinois 50-643. 1-22-1f

INSURANCE—Fire, lightning and tornado. Anna G. Bregenschneider, Illinois phone 184. 203 West Morgan st. 2-11-1mo

5 PER CENT MONEY to loan on Improved farms. Correspondence invited. Matheny, Dixon and Company, Ridgely Bank Building, Springfield, Ill. 2-22-1f

ABSTRACTS OF TITLE—Carefully compiled; modern and complete system of abstract records. Merri-ll Abstract Company, 505 Ayers Bank Bldg. 2-18-1mo

TRADING IS LIGHT BUT A QUIET CONFIDENCE IS APPARENT

Commercial Enterprise Moves Steadily Forward, Adding to the Notable Gains Previously Recorded.

New York, March 3.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say: "All speculative markets have undergone reaction, but commercial enterprise moves steadily forward, adding to the notable gains previously recorded. Influences that affect stocks, grain and cotton fail to alter the even course of money and exchange nor is the solid foundation of business confidence shaken. Rapidly rising prices of materials and products however, cause increasing uncertainty, tho in most cases stimulating rather than curtailing consumption. Many buyers, anticipating continued advances, are prompted to provide for future requirements at current levels yet experience great difficulty in further extending commitments. Manufacturers already covered for months to come and instances as far ahead as 1917, are in an independent position and instead of seeking new contracts endeavor to work orders off their books and thus relieve the pressure upon productive forces. Notwithstanding claims of improved conditions transporting facilities continue inadequate and the freight congestion adds to the burdens of producers and consumers alike, conditions accelerating the rise in commodities. Dislocations in overseas shipping are still a drawback, yet in spite of this merchant ship exports in January were exceeded only by the colossal output in December, while imports surpassed all previous records.

"Weekly bank clearings \$4,276,649,867."

(Published by Jas. E. Bennett Co.)
Open High Low Close
Wheat—
May \$1.11 1/4 \$1.14 1/4 \$1.11 1/4 \$1.13 1/4
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Corn—
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Oats—
May .43 1/4 .43 1/4 .42 1/4 .43 1/4
July .41 1/4 .41 1/4 .40 1/4 .41 1/4
Pork—
May 21.20 21.47 21.17 21.42
July 21.20 21.42 21.07 21.40
Lard—
May 10.57 10.65 10.57 10.65
July 10.80 10.85 10.77 10.83
Ribs—
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July 11.80 11.85 11.72 11.83
Thursday's close—Wheat: May 1.14 1/4, July 1.08 1/4, Corn: May 75 1/2, July 73 1/2, Oats: May 42 1/2, July 41 1/2.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, March 3.—Wheat—No. 3 red 1.09; No. 2 hard winter 1.10 1/4; No. 1 hard winter 1.06 1/4; No. 1 northern spring 1.04 1/4; No. 2 northern spring 1.03 1/4; No. 3 northern spring 1.02 1/4; No. 4 white 70 1/2; No. 3 yellow 70; No. 4 yellow 67 1/2; No. 5 yellow 66 1/2.
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FOODS

THEY BUILD OR DESTROY

Amazing but Rarely Suspected Truths About the Things You Eat.

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CHAPTER 26.

It is the "ash" of food that contains the mineral salts of that food. Without a proper consideration of "ash content" of any food that food should be considered worthless.

We know that human gastric juice is acid in action and that it contains sodium, potassium, magnesium, phosphorus, iron, and chlorine, and that it depends upon these elements for its physiological activities.

We know that if we remove any of these elements or change any of them or prevent the body from finding any of them, by removing them from our food, we thereby establish unnatural conditions in the gastric juice and inevitably bring about disorder.

We know that the pancreatic juice unlike the gastric juice, is alkaline in action and contains sodium, potassium, phosphorus, magnesium, and lime.

From this fact we learn that one part of the digestion is carried on in acid medium while another part is carried on in an alkaline medium, and our conception of the intricacies of the human laboratory increases in admiration and amazement.

In our continued contemplations of these mysteries it becomes more and more evident that man has no right to ignore the wonderfully complicated structure of the human body when he decides to go into the food business and manufacture for profit the hundred foodless foods which have become so popular on the breakfast, dinner and supper tables of unsuspecting Americans.

The enzymes, ferments and vitamins exert such a profound influence upon digestion and assimilation that we receive a shock when we learn that in the preparation of many of our most common-place foods we destroy them or so completely change their nature that the functions which they are expected to perform are so modified as to make them useless.

The mineral salts that he have described; the ferments, enzymes, and vitamins—let us put it bluntly and nakedly—remove from our daily food commercial practices that pander to false taste standards. The industries that remove them have succeeded, to some extent at least, in establishing high-sounding justification for their work and up to this stage of the world's enlightenment have been equal to the task of forging the atmosphere sufficiently to cloud any attempted work of reform under the darkness of controversy. Chemists and pathologists are to be found who are willing to go on record with such statements as these: "Of the metabolism of foods, of chemical change, of the exact action of enzymes and bacteria, we are profoundly ignorant, therefore we should not give much consideration to the mineral contents of our diet."

"We derive so many minerals from so many articles of food that we can afford to remove most of them

from our diet; and, furthermore, so little is known about the conduct of these minerals when ingested with food that the subject is at least not important enough to occasion grave alarm."

"There are so many offsetting foods which completely replace the mineral salts and vitamins that are lost through commercial methods of food refinement and manufacture that we need not at all worry about the presence of these substances in our food supply."

Signed statements and magazine articles appearing regularly in the magazines of uplift, the purpose of which is overwhelmingly to quiet natural anxieties concerning commercial foodstuffs, in spite of the death of nearly 400,000 children under ten years of age in the United States every year, constitute the defense of those whose food industries would suffer if the people enacted state and national laws that would forbid them to denature their food supply.

For reasons of their own these men tell us that we have sufficient carbohydrates, proteins, and fats (bread, meat, and butter), so we need not bother about the minerals or ferments of our food.

Yet they admit they know nothing about the food minerals. Prior to 1912 the only thing the public ever heard of in connection with a description of food was the academic division made by dietitians. This division consisted of three groups—carbohydrates, proteins, and fats. There was another division to which some of them, on rare occasions, shudderingly referred. They called this fourth division "ash."

The division of ash was always exasperatingly ignored and apparently had little if any meaning for dietitians and was not considered by them as significant or important.

As it began to dawn upon the minds of various investigators working at different places in Europe and America that a diet of pure carbohydrates, pure proteins, and pure fats would not support life, more fascinating.

Physicians and chemists everywhere admitted that personally they knew nothing about ash in relationship to food and did not know where to obtain information.

It is the ash of food that contains the mineral salts of that food. The tons of ashless food, denatured food, demineralized food, debased, impoverished, foodless food, were consumed along with good and adequate food by the nearly 400,000 children under ten years of age who died in the United States last year.

How many of them would be alive and well today if none of their foods had been denatured, if all of it had been good and adequate? That is the question we must answer here.

per capita cost was written into the bill. It reads as follows:

"For purposes of this act the cost of tuition per pupil shall be determined as follows: The actual cost of maintenance, including salaries of teachers, cost of high school supervision by the district, janitor service, fuel and other supplies and apparatus provided, divided by the total average number of pupils receiving high school instruction in such high school district throughout a given year shall determine the net tuition cost per pupil for those attending any high school and not residing in a high school district, under the terms of this act."

The county superintendents will be safe in estimating the per capita cost by dividing the total annual current expense including the cost of repairs by the average daily attendance.

(3) To whom shall the tuition money be paid by county superintendents?

When the amount of tuition has been ascertained, the county superintendent should issue an order payable to the township treasurer who handles the funds of the district and transmit the same to the secretary of the board of education that maintains the high school, together with a report of his transaction relating to the tuition.

(4) What reports must be made to the county superintendent and by him to other officers relating to the performance of his duties under this law?

The reports required by section 4 are manifestly intended for the purpose of verification. The county superintendent, himself, however, should be able to determine from the records in his office, the amount of tuition due and payable. The transfer amounts to a contract. The permit sets up the rate of tuition and the time the pupil is permitted to attend the high school selected. He may report his transactions to the township treasurer at the time of the transactions. His report to the superintendent of public instruction should be included in his annual report.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret H. Wyatt will be conducted from the residence of her son, James W. Wyatt, 909 North Church street, at 2 p. m. today. Services in charge of Rev. George W. Miller of Woodson, Interment in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Some Topics of the Farm

BIG CROWD ATTENDED SALE ON THE ADAMS FARM

Large Amount of Livestock and Implements Sold—Hogs Brought Good Prices.

Cold weather did not interfere with the large attendance at the sale held by Lee Adams at his farm three miles southwest of Jacksonville Friday. Jed Cox was the auctioneer and R. R. Stevenson, the clerk. The large number of implements, hogs, horses and cows were sold. Two hundred bales of straw brought 19c and 20c a bale, and the purchasers were M. M. McComb and W. J. Woods. Corn brought 58c and 59c a bushel in the crib, the purchasers being M. M. McComb and Mrs. Adams.

Some hog sales were as follows: R. D. Mawson, 1 sow, \$16; 2 sows, \$45; 2 sows, \$51.50; 2 sows, \$54. Jerry Flynn, 2 sows, \$54. S. D. Chumley, 2 sows, \$54. F. J. Kinnett, 2 sows, \$52; 1 sow and 5 pigs, \$32. William Theis, 1 gilt, \$13; 1 gilt, \$15. William Tarzwell, 2 sows, \$54; 1 sow and 7 pigs, \$27. Howard Stevenson, 1 sow and 7 pigs, \$42. R. Y. Gibson, 1 sow and 5 pigs, \$50. Joseph Bourn, 1 sow, \$24. Howard Stevenson, sow and 5 pigs, \$28. W. Groves, sow and 5 pigs, \$34. Howard Stevenson, sow and 5 pigs, \$23. William Henderson, sow and 5 pigs, \$37.50. Jed Cox, sow and 7 pigs, \$37.50.

Among the cow sales were the following: William Theis, Jersey cow, \$72.50. M. M. McComb, Jersey cow, \$61; W. H. Thompson, 1 Holstein cow, \$43; 1 Holstein cow, \$63; R. D. Mawson, cow, \$58; Homer Winters, cow, \$50. Robert Landreth, heifer, \$37; W. J. Moore, cow, \$43; Frank Mulligan, 2 heifers, \$23.50 each, 1 at \$25 and 1 at \$14; S. T. Zachary, 1 heifer at \$19 and 2 at \$20 each; Charles Taylor, heifer, \$15.

Horses sold as follows: Henry Theis, sorrel mare, 7 years old, \$107.50; W. H. Dood, gray horse, 8 years old, \$117.50; A. J. Johnson, black team of horses 4 and 6 years old, \$237.50; C. J. Ashbaker, bay team 5 and 6 years old, \$245; William Theis, sorrel horse 12 years old, \$82.50; H. Cruzan, aged horse, \$20.

Tools and implements brought fair prices.

STOCK SHIPMENT ORDERS EXPLAINED BY INSPECTOR.

List of States That Will Accept Stock Accompanied by Certificate.

Dr. J. N. Servatius, federal inspector for the governor who has charge of the district comprising Morgan, Greene and Scott counties, is still in the city at the Douglas hotel. Dr. Servatius is here for the inspection of stock which the owners wish to ship. A new order governing shipments has just been issued by the department and publication has been requested by the inspector. The order reads as follows:

Order Number 242 issued by the Bureau of Animal Industry, Washington, D. C., provides for the interstate movement of cattle, hogs, sheep and goats when shipped, transported or driven from that portion of Illinois lying north of the northern boundaries of the counties of Calhoun, Jersey, Macoupin, Montgomery, Fayette, Effingham, Jasper and Crawford, provided such stock is first inspected on the farm by a federal inspector and the certificate issued by the inspector accompanies the stock shipment. The effect of the order is to permit the interstate movement of animals for purposes other than slaughter. No inspection is required for animals shipped for immediate slaughter.

There will be no charge for this inspection other than it is expected that the person asking for the inspection will provide transportation from the nearest railroad or street car station to the farm and return.

The following named states will accept stock when accompanied by a certificate issued by a federal inspector: Maryland, New Hampshire, Delaware, Rhode Island, Maine, Tennessee, Minnesota, Alabama, New Jersey, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Missouri, Florida, Georgia, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, South Dakota, New York and Mississippi.

The states of Vermont, Connecticut and Kentucky, will accept stock provided permits are first obtained from the authorities of these states.

The state of Massachusetts, Virginia and Kentucky, will accept stock for immediate slaughter only.

The state of Indiana will accept stock provided permits are first obtained from the Indiana authorities and stock does not pass thru stock yards.

The state of Wisconsin accepts emigrant stock subject to the state regulations at destination.

The states of Nebraska, Iowa, Colorado and South Carolina, has not modified their regulations up to date, and will not accept stock from Illinois.

Treating Oats for Smut.

(By C. H. Oathout, County Agricultural Adviser, Champaign.)

There are signs of spring other than the small boys playing marbles along the street. Among others we see the usual methods of making easy money, particularly out of the farmer. The agitation for the treatment of oats for smut which has been conducted so vigorously during the last two or three years is producing its crop of easy money hunters. Among other things there is a bottled "dope" guaranteed to kill smut. There is no doubt that it will do so if enough is used for apparently it is nothing else than a weak formaldehyde solution. The point a farmer

should consider is that twice as much is charged for a small bottle containing about 6 ounces as is charged by a reliable druggist for a 100 ounce bottle of good strong 37-40 per cent formaldehyde (the standard solution). A noticeable feature is that the label on the bottle containing this smut remedy does not say what it contains while material put up by a reliable drug company has its composition stated plainly on the label.

Do not buy any dope with a high sounding name, but go to a reliable druggist and buy formaldehyde labeled 37-40 per cent. Good strong formaldehyde is very irritating to the eyes and nose and a very slight inhalation will cause one to shed tears plentifully. Get it in sealed bottles if possible, and if not be sure that the druggist has kept the container tightly closed. Not long ago I went into a drug store and mentioned the fact that the formaldehyde unless in a sealed container is likely to lose its strength. I was told by the druggist that he looked out for that. A part of a bottle obtained there showed but the faintest trace of formaldehyde and if such material were used the user would get no results at all and would not only be out his money and work, but would condemn the treatment as well. You can not hold strong formaldehyde to your nose but this can be done with that which has lost its strength. You can smell the "dope" mentioned above as much as you wish without starting a tear.

There are also machines made for mixing the oats. If these wet them sufficiently the smut will be killed, but there again the price charged is very much more than the machine is worth. It is not much work to mix them with a shovel and why buy another expensive machine to stand around when an hour of two of work with a shovel each year will treat your oats. Most farmers already have entirely too much capital invested in old iron which is rusting to pieces in fence corners.

All these people who want the farmers' money realize that it is easier to obtain it if they make a big grab than if they make a small one. Two or three years ago an enterprising gentleman sold hundreds of bushels of seed oats at \$2.50 per bushel. Of course he claimed great things for them. Farmers gave notice in payment with the understanding that they were not to be paid for them unless they were as represented. But every one should know that when he signs a note he has it to pay. These same men who were so easily separated from their money would hold up their hands in horror if a neighbor were to ask them 50 cents a bushel for good tested seed oats grown right in the neighborhood and known to be a good yielding variety. It is a constant source of amazement to see how easily people will give up money to a man who is big enough hog to ask for a lot of it in exchange for something of little value while a disinterested person with no "ax to grind" is looked upon with suspicion and must plead and coax and argue to get them to spend a small amount for something that is a great deal of value to them.

Inspection of Seed Corn.

Corn growers should be on their guard this season when selecting seed for planting the next crop. There is an enormous amount of defective seed which cannot be accurately judged by either visual inspection or by actual germination tests, unless weak features are carefully observed. Seed that was selected early from well-matured fields and has been properly cared for all winter, will be most likely to make satisfactory growth; but seed selected early from immature or impoverished fields is the kind that will make no end of trouble, should growing conditions be unfavorable. This immature seed lacks substance; it lacks germinating power, and while it may start in the germinator, still growth is slow; should it encounter hard conditions at the critical time when the roots commence to strike out for food, it is likely to succumb. The grain is a sufficient substance to supply the requirements of plant food during the first stages of growth. Repeated tests made of this weak seed show

many defective or ruptured germs; and while both ends of most of the germs may start they lack vigor to make sustained growth.

I have observed this condition before. Three years ago my attention was called to a field of 40 acres which was planted on May 20th. The seed had been tested, and showed satisfactory growth in the germinator. This seed was chaffy, lacked substance, but was planted upon the record made in the germinator. It started all right, and made two or three inches of top growth, and then succumbed as if cut worms had attacked the entire field. The root growth was very feeble. The trouble was aggravated here by a poorly prepared seed bed. The ground was plowed late, was not sufficiently worked down, and the corn roots were not strong enough to strike out for food. The seed-bed conditions cannot always be controlled, but careful preparation this season, and accurate adjustment of the depth of planting will go a long way in helping the situation. Weak seed will usually start, and with favorable conditions will make satisfactory growth, but a combination of weak seed and poor seed bed conditions will play havoc with corn fields any season.—L. C. Brown, in The Farmers' Review, Chicago.

George J. Smith came to Jacksonville from Mercedosa yesterday.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT.

State of Illinois, Morgan County, ss. In the circuit court of Morgan County, to the May term, 1916.

G. W. Brunk, Complainant, vs. Malissa Anna O'Keefe, B. F. Winner and Nancy Winner, Defendants.—Bill to Foreclose Mortgage.

Affidavit having been filed showing that the above named Malissa Anna O'Keefe is a non-resident of the state of Illinois, and that upon diligent inquiry her place of residence can not now be found, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendant that the above suit is now pending in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has been issued in said suit, against said defendants returnable to the next May term of said court to be held in the court house in Jacksonville within and for the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1916; now unless you, the said Malissa Anna O'Keefe, shall be and appear before the said court on the first day thereof to be held as aforesaid, and shall then and there plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint therein filed, the matters and things therein alleged and contained will be taken as confessed against you and a decree entered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated at Jacksonville, Ill., this 26th day of February, A. D. 1916. (Seal) Eugene D. Pyatt, Clerk of Circuit Court, Morgan County, Illinois. Carl E. Robinson, Solicitor for Complainant.

"CASCARETS" FOR A COLD, BAD BREATH OR SICK HEADACHE

Best for Liver and Bowels, for Biliousness, Sour Stomach and Constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now. Furred Tongue, Bad Colds, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels, which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret tonight will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then to keep their stomach, liver and bowels regulated, and never know a miserable moment. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.—Adv.

To Overcome Eczema

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little Zemo furnished by any druggist for 25c. Extra large bottle, \$1.00. Healing begins the moment Zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of pimples, black heads, rash, eczema, tetter and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, Zemo is an exceptional remedy. It is not greasy, sticky or watery and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for all skin troubles. Zemo, Cleveland.

"Finest Cathartic I Ever Used"

"They do not gripe and their effect is quick and sure"—says L. L. Levey.

"For a long time I suffered from constipation and liver trouble," says Mr. L. L. Levey of Green Bay, Wis. "Nothing seemed to help me. I finally secured a package of Foley Cathartic Tablets and am pleased to state that they have cured me. They are the finest cathartic I have ever used, as they do not gripe at all and their effect is quick and sure."

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Foley Cathartic Tablets can safely be taken by any and every member of your family. Like all Foley remedies they are sold in yellow packages. Accept nothing but the genuine.

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You are certain of Satisfactory fuel if your order is placed here.

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The Woman's Tonic

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Valuable Suggestions

By Mrs. Nevada Briggs, *Exponent of the Art of Baking, as taught by Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill*
Helpful Cake Making Hints

Always sift flour and K C Baking Powder at least three times. The more sifting, the lighter the cake. Remember that! To cream butter and sugar quickly, warm the sugar slightly. Beat yolks of eggs with rotary beater. Whip whites of eggs with flat spoon whip. Water makes lighter cakes; milk makes richer cakes.

To mix a cake, first cream butter and sugar thoroughly, then add yolks, if used. Then alternately add moisture and flour that has been sifted with baking powder and stir until smooth and glossy, adding egg whites after thoroughly mixing.

Always use K C Baking Powder.

Biscuit Helps

Always sift flour and K C Baking Powder at least three times.

Have shortening cold and firm. Mix dough as soft as it can be handled. The softer dough goes into the oven, the lighter the biscuit when it comes out. It is easier for K C Baking Powder to do its work in soft than in stiff dough. Mix biscuits very little. Do not knead. Stir up with spoon or knife and press in shape to roll on floured board.

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Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter that one's system collects. If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women as well as men, take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets now and then just to keep in the pink of condition.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel—10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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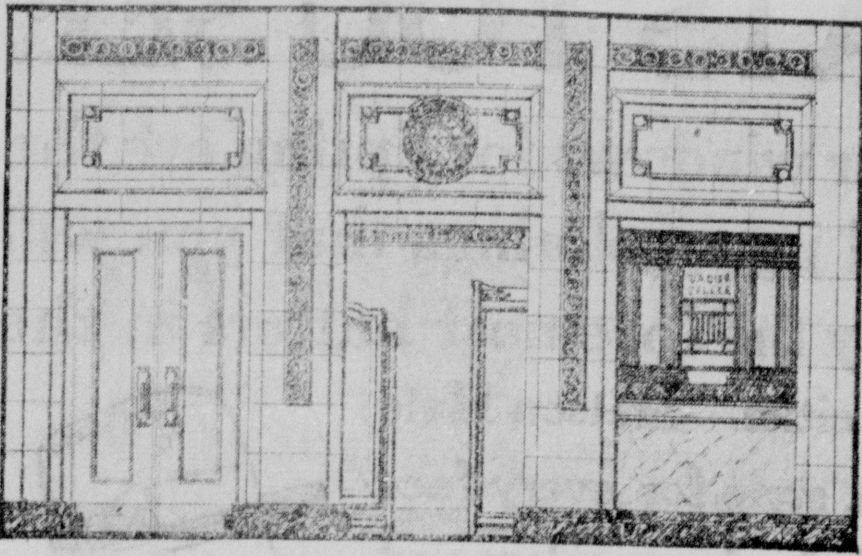
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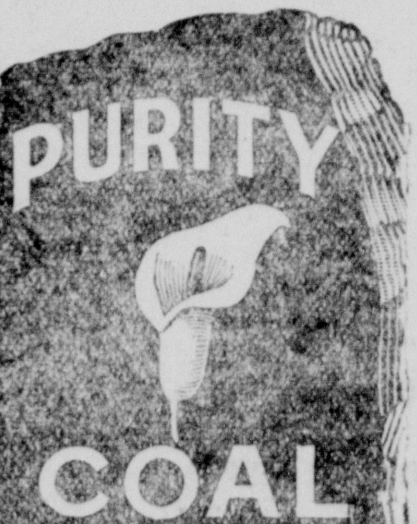
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"Purity Coal" comes from Franklin County and there is nothing better in Illinois. Springfield Coal also in Nut and Lamp sizes.

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Today we will have home made
Raised Doughnuts
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Lady Fingers.
Also home-made Bread, Rolls, etc.

Joseph Farris of Springfield was calling on business men in the city yesterday. Mr. Farris formerly resided here and is at present engaged in the manufacture of furnaces in Springfield.

BUSINESS MEN WILL ENJOY
BOOSTER BANQUET AT Y. M. C. A.

Andrew Russell and Physical Director Allison of Springfield Among the Speakers—Other Y. M. C. A. Topics.

Members of the business men's gymnasium class will be hosts at a booster's banquet to be given Tuesday evening, March 7, in the social hall at the association building. Gentlemen friends of the members will be guests. The committee from the physical department, which has in charge arrangements for the banquet includes Percy A. Jenkinson, chairman; Walter Bellatti, Earl M. Johnston, Edward Hopper, Harry Walker and Walton Boxell.

First on the program will be a short talk by Walter Bellatti, George F. Allison, physical director of the Springfield Y. M. C. A., will be present and will speak on the value of the gymnasium to the business man as well as to the boy. "The Value of the Association to Men and Boys of the Community" will be the subject of a talk by Andrew Russell.

The supper will be served at 6:15 o'clock and the talks will follow. At 8 o'clock the Springfield Business Men's volleyball team will engage with local business men in a series of games.

New Locker Arrangement. For some time there has been inconvenience with the lockers and other dressing room arrangements and it is with especial pleasure that H. A. Brewer, the physical director, announces the completion of a new system. A new door has been placed at the entrance of the room and all the lockers will be in charge of an attendant from 3:30 until 10 o'clock.

This attendant will have charge of the locker register and of the towel and soap supplies. The association business men now have a section of the locker room for their own use and this, together with the new shower, recently placed, make use of the gymnasium the more attractive.

Bible classes, under direction of Alva L. Snyder, the secretary, are progressing favorably. The score of young men who attend each Monday night are finding much profit in the study of Old Testament characters.

Plan Volley Ball Series. A series of volleyball games between the bankers and business men is planned for the near future. Great interest was manifested in a former series of this kind and it is certain that there will be played some classy volleyball. Married and single men of the business men's section are planning a volleyball series which will be watched with interest.

In the senior division games will be played each Thursday night and these will no doubt rank among the hardest fought volleyball contests. Mr. Brewer reports good interest in gymnasium classes, whether in the junior, intermediate, senior or business men's departments.

Harold Ferguson's team has practically clinched the pennant in the intermediate basketball series. Final games will be played next Wednesday night, March 8.

ADVERTISED LETTERS. The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Jacksonville, Ill., for the week ending Feb. 29, 1916:

Barron, Joe.
Berry, A. P.
Cunningham, Mrs. Dave.
Buntler, David L.
Flynn, Virgil.
Graves, Mabel.
Hagle, Miss Iva.
Holt, James.
Howe, J. W.
Joyce, C. B.
Kelly, M.
Kimball, Mrs. Ellen.
McCasas, A. L.
McMurry, Mrs. Margaret.
Mills, Mrs. Harry Pearson.
Moore, Mrs. Maude E.
Pettit, J. G.
Rice, Miss Helen.
Roams, S. W.
Smith, Eddie.
Stern, Edgar.
Stewart, Mrs. Josephine.
Stokes, John.
Stumbers, Emory.
Sullivan, Mrs. Hilder.
Parcels.

Johnson, Miss Alma.
Machelman, Herman.
Patrons calling for this mail will please say "advertised," give date of list and pay one cent each postage due.
Ralph I. Dunlap,
Postmaster.

FUNERALS

Miller.

Funeral services for Benjamin D. Miller were held from the residence, 120 east Morton ave., Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. F. A. McCarty. Members of the Masonic fraternity attended the funeral in a body and had charge of the services at the grave.

Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Miss Cora Graham, Mrs. Wallace Brockman, T. H. Rapp and W. W. Gillham. There were many beautiful floral offerings and these were cared for by Mrs. D. T. Heineke, Mrs. Louis Piepenbring, Mrs. Joseph Ludwig and Mrs. Owen Smith. Interment was in Diamond Grove and the bearers were Ellsworth Wells, J. Bart Johnson, T. H. Buckthorpe, T. J. Bronson, D. T. Heineke and Ralph Hutchinson.

RETURNS FROM SOUTH. Miss Inez Huckleby returned Friday from a visit to the South. She went first to Jacksonville, Florida, where she visited with cousins. From there her cousins took her by automobile down the East coast to Miami. They were some time on the trip, stopping several days at Palm Beach. Down in that region it was warm as summer, so that her arrival here Friday gave her a wintry shock.

Miss Huckleby was gone several weeks, and her friends urged her to stay longer in the town named after this one, but duties here required her return.

PROGRESSIVES WIN IN
CONTEST WITH ILLINI

"Tigers" are Victors by Score of 21 to 21—Excellent Program Given by Progressive Society.

Current events and a pretty Japanese play were features of the literary program given Friday evening by the Progressive society of David Prince school and the large audience in attendance went away well pleased. Training for the play was in charge of Miss Ethel Wyllyer, Progressive officer.

The Progressive "Tigers" were victors in an exciting basketball contest which followed the program. The Illini team fought well however and were several times ahead of their opponents.

The Illini lineup: Earl Fitch, center; Glanville Camp, Harold Hall and Fred Lucas, forwards; Alfred Eades and Lloyd Kinney, guards.

The Illini lineup: John Bryson, center; Lucius Hare, Arthur Green and Charles Cobb, forwards; Robert Allen and Elmer Bringle, guards.

The literary program follows: Music—Heather Rose (Haidenstein)—Gustave Lange, Norman Vieira.

Twin Stories—Harry Fitch, Garland Withee.
Recitation, Watchin' the Sparkin'—Maurice Obermeyer.
Boys' chorus, Mush-Mush—Carl Bishop, Delbert Erickson, John Bryson, Keith Hagan, Charles Cobb, Nellis Sanders, Elmer Bringle.

A few moments with the magazines.
Boy Scouts—Newport House, Oliver Hamilton.
The Spelman—Dorothy Deters, George Johnson.

Woman's Home Companion—Clarence Mulhausen.
Little Folks—Hazel Jones, Helen Birdsell, Frank Cohen.
Physical Culture—Elizabeth Wells, Louise Stevens, Wallace Smith, Ralph Floreth.

American Boy—Chester Hall.
The Musician—Harlan Moses, John Pyatt.
Housewife—Margare, Dodge.
Vogue—Frances Waddell.
Travel—Carl Bishop.

Mothers—Edith Strandberg, Imelda Schmalz, Dorothy Walls.
Current (current) Events—Allen Timberlake, William Douglass.
A Pair of Lunatics (a farce in one act)—Alberta Scarlett, Nellie Sanders.

Musical sketch—Characters:
Nora Twinn, Dora Twinn, traveling with their governess in Japan—Beatrice Dye, Robertine DeFrates.
Miss Minerva Knowall—Marion Spruit.

Japanese Girls—Marjorie McMurphy, Florence Masters, Grace Tilton, Ella E. Woodman.
Scene—Verandas of Japanese house.
Accompanist—Catherine Lamming.

FOR COMMISSIONER. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as road commissioner, road district No. 8. Election April 4.
Charles S. Magill.

THREE DEGREES ARE GIVEN BY RIDGLEY ENCAMPMENT.

Six Candidates are Given Complete Work at Odd Fellows' Hall Friday Night.

The Patriarchal, Golden Rule and Royal Purple degrees were conferred on a class at the regular meeting of Ridgley encampment No. 9, Friday evening. A number of candidates were unable to be present owing to bad roads and the inclement weather.

Those taking the work were: Dr. Edward D. Canatsey, Carl E. Robinson, A. W. Mehlhausen, C. Arthur Reeve, E. G. Reynolds and Vincent Vieira. After the work the members enjoyed an oyster supper which had been prepared by a committee consisting of T. M. Toulminson, chairman, Benjamin F. Owen, Charles Goodey, A. E. Williamson, J. K. Long and Walter Patterson.

WILL PLAN WORK ALONG OCEAN TO OCEAN HIGHWAY

Illinois Division Will Have Meeting in Springfield Thursday.

Announcements have been sent out for the annual meeting of the Illinois division of the Pike's Peak Ocean to Ocean highway, to be held at Springfield at the office of the Commercial association, next Thursday at 10:30 a. m. The principal theme for discussion will be the road improvements which are planned for the year. Officers will be elected and various other matters considered. The officers and members of the executive committee for the Illinois division are as follows:

George W. Hughes, president, Hume, Ill.; Harry A. Scheidker, secretary-treasurer, Hannibal, Mo.; Fred A. Stone, vice president, Griggsville, Ill.; C. M. Simmons, Griggsville, Ill.; George H. Vannier, Bluffs, Ill.; Frank J. Heibel, Jacksonville, Ill.; D. V. White, Loomis, Ill.; A. M. Kenney, Decatur, Ill.; E. R. Parsons, Atwood, Ill.; Scott Burgett, Newman, Ill.; Ora Patrick, Chrisman, Ill.; S. W. Snively, Terre Haute, Ind.; J. P. Hinton, Hannibal, Mo.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 262 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists—Adv.

NEW BOOKS AT THE
PUBLIC LIBRARY

Health.
Hawes—Consumption; what it is and what to do about it. A little book written from the patient's standpoint. Besides simple descriptions of the disease and sensible directions as to prevention and care, it gives information on various sanatoriums with details as to transportation and living costs, and discusses after-occupation marriage and other topics.

Holmes—Conservation of the Child. Based on the records of the work in the psychological clinic at the University of Pennsylvania. The large and suggestive accumulation of data set forth as well as the extended discussions of defective children make the work of value to all interested in child welfare.

Three Books for Mothers. Comstock—Mothercraft. "Sound, up-to-date talks based on best authorities and written in a very popular, enthusiastic style."—Wisconsin Library Bulletin.

Kerley—Short Talks with Young Mothers. "The chapters on maternal nursing and delicate and premature children are unusually well done for a popular manual. Thru-out and especially in the chapter on disease are many practical and useful suggestions for the mother or nurse."—A. L. A. Booklist.

Hunt—What Shall We Read to the Children. "Friendly, readable chats with parents about children's books—what to buy and read for the first seven or eight years, and why." Miss Hunt is head of the children's department in the Brooklyn Public Library and one of the best known authorities in the country in this important field.

Biography.
Shaw—Story of a Pioneer. "Every aspiring young woman should read 'The Story of a Pioneer.'"—Journal of Education.

Wiggin—Child's Journey with Dickens. "The scene is presented very vividly reproducing not only the eager joy of the little country girl who was too absorbed in her interest to be self-conscious, but also Dickens' amusement and interested inquiry." Good to read aloud.

Practical Books.
Brennan—Automobile Operation. A Year—Thru College on Nothing a Gauss. Literary record of a student's life at Princeton.

Social Relations.
Gibbons—Paris Reborn. A diary from July 30, 1914 to December 25. Thru it all runs an appreciation of the tragic significance of events and the steady courage which has met them.

Lippmann—Drift and Mastery. "This is a book at once comprehensive, shrewd, vigorous, searching and interesting—with always a saving humor."

Description and Travel.
Morgan—Abroad at Home. The many sketch drawing by Wallace Morgan are as important as the text which is by Julian Street. The author being an American, passes over the commonplace. In a trip from New York to the western coast and gives not a little information, some good stories along with much that is merely amusing.

Todd—Tripoli, the Mysterious. "Imparts a good deal of the country's unique atmosphere."—A. L. A. Booklist.

Art.
Ficke—Chats on Japanese Prints. "Take thou the panel, being strong. 'Tis as a girl's arm fashioned right—As slender and divinely long And white."

That tall and narrow ice space Gives scope for all the brush be- seems.

And who shall ask a wider place For Dreams?"

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from a painter's point of view that Mr. Hoerber, himself an artist of distinction has written of this school.

Fiction.

There are two new copies of Scott's novels, Kenilworth, illustrated by H. J. Ford and Talsman, illustrated by Simon H. Veeder. Illustrations in color are very attractive and the print is large in this edition. There is a book of rent fiction, Margaret Prescott Montague which contains stories of deaf and blind children. The title is Close Doors. Dr. Cabot says in his introduction to the book "Truth is what I feel especially in Miss Montague's stories. They spring out of a peculiarly intimate and sympathetic knowledge of a school for the blind and deaf, they err neither by literalism nor by sentimentality. The busy life she draws has a current and a vigor that seems to establish a new standard—not so much lower than ours as different. She lets us see how deaf children build up a new imagery and develop a naming power really poetic, over her shoulder we watch the unconquerable human soul building its nest and finding its food even in the dark and silent country which she has chosen to describe."

RETURN DANCE. All present at the Bungalow Aprin dance of March 1st, given at Degen's hall, are expected to attend the return dance to be given at the Knights of Columbus hall Monday evening, March 6. Boys are requested to wear soft shirts; girls usual attire. Powers' orchestra.

By the Committee.

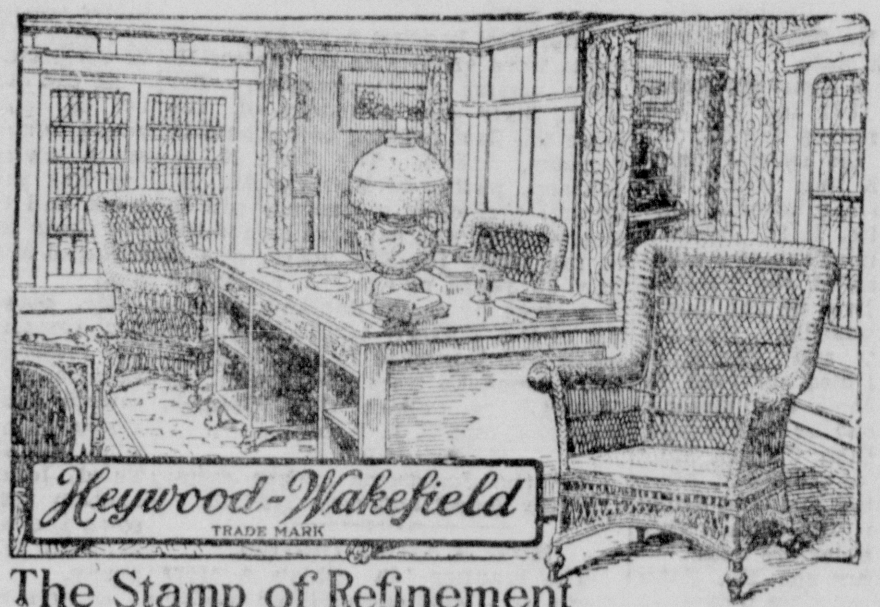
ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

William Deutsch and family have moved to the George Tremblott property, 311 North Church street.

S. M. MAUPIN SALE. Six miles northwest of Alexander, Thursday, March 9, 10 a. m.

HOME - FURNISHINGS

That Are Good, Attractive and the Kind You Want.



The Stamp of Refinement

Davenport and Davenettes, Lace Curtains and Draperies, Soft and Luxurious Cretonnes, Scrims Upholstery And Piece Goods in Endless Variety

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We Clean Kid Gloves, Repair or Dye Them.

We Do Plaiting—Any Kind or Width

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Man Tailored Skirts to Order New styles just received—\$1.25 to \$2.25 for making. The greatest help to good dressing.

New Spring Goods

Always on the way We are opening a lot of new silks from New York—beautiful styles, excellent qualities and prices as usual. Wash Fabrics in Lawns, Batistes, Crispettes and Voiles—the newest effects—5c to 75c per yard.

10c to 25c yard—Dainty Embroideries for 1916—the last hints from Dame Fashion.

Linweave White Goods—Above every other, 15c to 75c yard. Looks like linen, wears like linen and only costs cotton prices.

Buy your summer dresses now when you have time to sew. Our Butterick Department is at your service. We'll be glad to help you. The Butterick styles are as usual in advance. New, snappy, pleasing styles, easy to follow; anybody can make their own clothes. Try it and you'll be astonished at what you can do.

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Our bargain counters are full of rare bargains this week. This being the last week of our sale we are making an extra effort to clean up the remnants.

\$1.50 counter in Ladies' Shoes—Velvets, Satins, Grey Tops, Dull Patents and Kids.

\$1.10 counter—A special lot of small boys' shoes from size 11½ to 2; also a few small girls' shoes

On the 59c, 79c and 98c tables you will find an assortment of Children's Shoes.

Sale Shoes Cash We Repair Shoes

A LONG TIME RESIDENT OF AREZVILLE DEAD

The Venerable Peter Zahn Dies After an Illness of Several Weeks—Was Widely Known and Respected.

Arezville lost one of its best and most prominent citizens, Peter Zahn, who died at 7:20 o'clock Friday morning at his home in the town after an illness of several weeks following an attack of la grippe, paralysis was the final cause of death.

The deceased was a native of Ohio and was the son of Frederick and Elizabeth Zahn, his father dying March 3, 1914. The father and mother were born in Germany but early in the civil war they came to Arezville where they lived for some time, later going to Canton, Mo., from which place Mr. Zahn returned to his home in this state.

He was married to Henrietta Rahn of Beardstown in 1871 and was the father of an interesting family, all standing high in the several communities in which they live. His wife survives him and several sons and daughters: Mrs. J. P. Dahman of Winchester, Frank Zahn of Arezville, William Zahn of Joy Prairie, Oliver Zahn who lives on the home place west of Arezville, Howard Zahn of this city, and Elmer of Arezville. He is also survived by a number of brothers and sisters: Mrs. Jane Hammond of Coffeyville, Kans.; Frederick Zahn, Canton, Mo.; Mrs. Tonia Rahn of Marshall, Mo.; Jacob Zahn of Canton, Mo., and Louis Zahn of Oklahoma City, Okla. Two brothers and one sister are dead.

Until a few years ago Mr. Zahn followed farming but later moved to Arezville where he spent the rest of his life. For a good many years he was affiliated with the German Lutheran church but later allied himself with the Methodist Episcopal church of Arezville. Mr. Zahn was an honorable, upright man, just in his dealings and fair to all. He amassed a handsome fortune by steady, industrious habits and good management and his family have all done him credit.

The funeral will be conducted in the Arezville M. E. church Monday at 2:30 p. m. and burial will be in the Arezville cemetery.

Extra high grade CHOCOLATE CREAMS at 25¢ the lb. today only, at MERRIGAN'S.

Mrs. H. H. Taylor of Chicago is in the city for a few days' visit with Mr. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Taylor, of West College avenue.

J. W. ARNOLD'S Annual Horse and Mule Sale MARCH 15, 1916.

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Head Lettuce
Leaf Lettuce
Fresh Spinach
Fancy Celery
Green Peppers
New Rhubarb
Fancy Cauliflower
New Carrots
Fresh Tomatoes
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Fancy Strawberries
Grape Fruit
Oranges
Eating Apples
Figs
Dates
Nutmeats
Cranberries
Parsnips
Sweet Potatoes

TABLE DELICACIES

HOME COOKING DEPARTMENT

Homemade Angel Food, Sunshine Cakes
Pies, Drop Cakes,
Nutbread, Boston Brown Bread.
Blue Label Chili Sauce. Blue Label Ketchup

NEW MASONIC HALL DEDICATED APPROPRIATELY AT WAVERLY

Members of Order From Many Towns Present—Emblem Presented Henry Narr.

Waverly, March 3.—Waverly lodge, No. 118, A. F. & A. M., dedicated its new hall Friday evening. There was a large attendance of members and visitors were present from Modesto, Palmyra, Franklin and Scottville. Members of Franklin and Palmyra lodges assisted in the initiatory work, three candidates being given the work. The lodge held a special meeting in honor of the dedication, beginning at 3 o'clock. At 6 o'clock a banquet was served by the members of the Eastern Star and work was resumed at 8 o'clock and lasted until a late hour.

After the banquet a program of toasts was given with Dr. Walter H. Allen acting as toastmaster. Dr. E. K. Blair gave a history of the lodge the first meeting being held in January, 1852. The Rev. N. R. Johnson, pastor of Waverly M. E. circuit, presented a Masonic pin to Henry Narr, who has been a member of the lodge for fifty years, and is now 83 years of age. A recitation was given by L. W. Ragland, principal of the Waverly high school, and music was furnished by a male quartet. Remarks were also made by Robert Ross, Palmyra; C. C. Cussins, Franklin, and C. F. Wemple.

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HOW A STORY GROWS.

The manner in which a story grows was well exemplified yesterday morning when the word of the accident at Bluffs came to the city. All about were reports of a fearful wreck on the Wabash and several times the story was heard that a passenger train had crashed into a freight and that six wagon loads of dead and wounded were taken from the wreck. On every hand several deaths were reported and all sorts of rumors were current. It seemed certain at least that two men had been killed from the rumors received but the fact is there was but four men in the car as stated in the account elsewhere and they were brought to the city alive.

NEW BERLIN BOY HURT IN PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

Samuel Douglas, nine year old son of Mrs. John Douglas, north of New Berlin, is at St. John's hospital, Springfield, recovering from effects of a peculiar but serious accident. The boy was playing with a neighbor on top of a straw stack and jumping to the ground fell in such a way that a pointed stick he had in his hand pierced his right side.

INTEREST IS GOOD AT CLOSE OF FIRST WEEK OF REVIVAL

"Sowing and Reaping" Is Theme of Strong Address by Pastor—Program Sunday at Baptist Church.

There was a large audience at the Baptist revival meeting last evening. It was "Farmers' Night." Mr. Allen sang "The Pleading Voice" with great feeling. A quartet of boys were called to the platform and sang "Brighten the Corner" and "Second Timothy Two Fifteen." The effect was very impressive. The big choir sang "Raise Me Jesus."

Mr. Allen gave his christian experience and told how a business man called him into his office and told him he could not leave until he had taken Christ as his Savior and the 32 years of age then he entered a life of christian service.

At the close of the service a number of testimonies were given by young converts. It was touching to see a mother stand and say, "My boy has taken Christ during this week and my prayers are answered the choir rose and thanked God for saving him and everybody who helped him."

Mr. Stephens spoke on "Sowing and Reaping." Taking three texts the message was convincing. First, Ecclesiastes 3:7, "Whoever sows a seed shall also reap." Hosea 8:7, "They have sown the wind and shall reap the whirlwind." Third, John 4:37, "One sows and another reaps," and tho you have sown the wind, Christ reaped its results in the whirlwind of Calvary's agony.

Quite a number attended the "Red Book" meeting and some professed conversion.

Sunday's program is as follows: At 9 o'clock the pastor will meet all teachers and officers of the Sunday school and all personal workers in the Baraca room. At 9:30 will be the Sunday school evangelistic rally. At 10:45 Deacon Gideon Arthur L. Brabrook of the Second Baptist church will preach. At 7:30 p. m. Mr. Stephens will preach on "Morning and Night." Mr. Allen will sing and direct the music.

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ROAD CONDITIONS.

There is one saving clause in the roads of this vicinity. They get very bad and again, in a comparatively short time, they get passable good. Gregg Tindall rode in from Antioch in his Ford car bringing his mother who is visiting his family and lives in Missouri; his wife and two children. Persons in the city of Nortonville, Arcadia, Lynnville and other directions all reported the roads very passable.

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TWO MEN DIE FROM GASOLINE EXPLOSION

GREEK LABORERS IN TERRIBLE ACCIDENT AT BLUFFS.

Peter Chocalos and Dene Planeros and Companions Were Trapped in Box Car When Gasoline Stove Exploded—Flames Spread so Rapidly They Could Not Open the Doors—Brought Here on Special Train.

Peter Chocalos and Dene Planeros are dead and Max Andres and Tom Planeros are lying at the point of death at Passavant hospital as the result of burns received from the explosion of a gasoline stove at Bluffs early Friday morning. Chocalos died at 5 o'clock and Planeros at 8 o'clock after terrible suffering. Andres is barely alive and Dr. Haigrove said at a late hour Friday that he had little chance of recovery and that Tom Planeros who was the least burned of the four did not have much chance of recovery. The explosion occurred in a box car in which the men lived. The doors were fastened on the inside and rescuers had to batter down the doors before the men could be taken from the car. They were brought to this city on a special train Friday morning.

Accident Occurred at Early Hour.

The men were working in a gang of section men engaged in laying new track for the Wabash. As has been the custom for a number of years the company equips box cars for the accommodation of the men. The four men occupied one car. Friday morning about 5 o'clock preparations for breakfast were begun. After the gasoline stove had been lighted it was noticed that the gasoline was low in the tank. An attempt was made to fill it while the burners were lighted. An explosion occurred and the inside of the car was instantly a mass of flames.

The men had fastened the doors of the car from the inside the night before. In the confusion, and with the burning gasoline all over their bodies they were unable to unlock the doors. Their cries for help brought other workmen. The interpreter, Peter Papas broke in one of the doors with a spike maul and the men were dragged from the cars.

Dr. Day and Evans of Bluffs were summoned to the scene and gave emergency relief. Under their advice arrangements were made to bring the injured men to Jacksonville. A special train was hastily assembled consisting of an engine, box car and caboose. The special arrived here about 7:30 o'clock. It was delayed by the west bound morning passenger and it was nearly 8 o'clock before the men were received at Passavant hospital.

Dr. J. W. Haigrove and Dr. F. A. Norris were at the hospital awaiting the arrival of the injured men. They were assisted in caring for the men by Dr. Day and Dr. Evans who accompanied them here from Bluffs on the special train.

All Fearfully Burned. The surgeons did everything possible for the relief of the men. All were horribly burned. The least injured of the four was Thomas Planeros. He was badly burned about the face and all over his body. While he will be in the hospital for months before he will recover if in fact he ever fully regains his health.

There are about thirty seven laborers working for the Wabash at Bluffs. The men are engaged in laying track from Bluffs east to Morgan City. They have been housed in cars on a switch just east of the Wabash passenger station in Bluffs. H. W. Sargent who runs a barber shop near the Wabash tracks was one of the first to reach the scene of the accident. Mr. Sargent was aroused by the noise about 5 o'clock Friday morning. He looked out of the window and saw that something was wrong. He dressed and hastened to the scene arriving just as the men were being taken from the car. Dr. Day arrived a few minutes later. Mr. Sargent accompanied the men to this city on the special train. There was a report current that two other men were in the car but the time-keeper says this is a mistake. The fire had gained such headway in the car that it required water from the tank of an engine to extinguish the flames.

The men, while suffering intensely, bore the pain with a stoicism that was remarkable. Tom Planeros, the least injured of the four, was yet burned so badly that it was necessary to remove the skin from almost all of his body. He did not take an anesthetic and was for the most part conscious. During the removal of the skin he answered questions put to him by the interpreter. The surgeons in charge remarked that he was of the stuff of which good soldiers are made.

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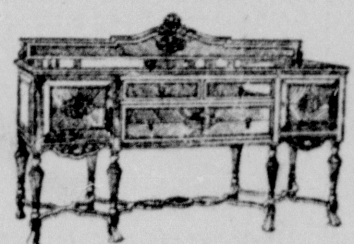
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